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Death of J. W Hughes.

J W Hughes, brother of Judge Hughes of Mattoon, passed away in death last night at 7 23 at his home, 402 South Main street, after a protracted illness, due to injury to his spine, received in a street railway accident at Indianapolis, Ind, two years ago. He leaves a widow and three sons. Some years ago the deceased resided in Decatur when he was the secretary of the Macon County Mutual Benefit Association. The business was closed up and Mr Hughes went to Indianapolis, where he was connected with an insurance company. He returned to Decatur with his family last spring. His age was 43 years.

The funeral will take place at 9 30 a m. from the residence. The body will be taken to Charleston, Ill., for interment.

Emergent Call

Emergent communication of Ionic Lodge No. 312, A. F. and A. M, Friday morning June 22. at 8.30. sharp, for the purpose of acting as escort to the remains of our late brother, J. W. Hughes, to the train. Members of Macon Lodge No. 8 and brethren earnestly invited.

J H CULVER, W. M.
J. S MCCLELLAND, Sec'y.

At Rest in Greenwood.

Wednesday afternoon the funeral of the late Ernest Petzel, conducted by Rev. J W Lessman, took place from the family residence. The Wabash shopmen attended in a body. The honorary pall bearers were Messrs Bachman, Goodman Heustenberg, Bauman and Babnski. The active [illegible] bearers were Wm Lambert, Mason Lewis, Geo Marbley, Fred Golembesk, August Bachman and James [illegible]. The interment was in Greenwood. The deceased was an honored citizen whose death is a loss to the community. He was born November 1, 1840, in Prussia and fought through the Franco Prussian and Austrian wars. In 187[illegible] he came to this country, and from the time he secured his naturalization papers he had been a staunch Republican. He was employed in the Wabash car shops for a period of twenty years. Six children survive him. They are Prof E. A E Petzel, H. O R. Petzel, Martha M A Petzel, Antonio L. W Petzel, Eugene L. P Petzel, and Laura B P Petzel. He was married in 1868 to Miss Pauline Meyer.

The Court.

The time of the court has been taken up wholly to day with the trial of the Tohill perjury case. Arguments have been concluded by State's Attorney Mills, C C.LeForgee and Senator Jones, of Robinson. Mr LeForgee in one of his pathetic appeals had nearly half the jury moved to tears. A verdict is expected in a few hours.

Last evening Judge Vail ordered a venire for 100 jurymen, from whom may be selected 12 men to hear the evidence in the Creekmur murder trial.

Speed on the Wabash.

Assistant General Passenger Agent Crain of the Wabash, who has returned to St Louis from Chicago, reports that the special which left St Louis over that line Monday morning at 9 o'clock with a delegation of commercial travelers, arrived in Chicago at 3 50 o'clock in the afternoon, covering 286 miles in six hours and fifty minutes. The train was made up of a baggage car, passenger coach, a chair, parlor and dining car, and made twelve stops at railroad crossings.

Will Change Instruments.

The Citizens' Mutual Telephone company has decided to cast away the Harrison instruments they had brought here for a test. It is claimed that they do not give satisfaction, and an order has been given for 300 instruments of a different pattern from the Western Telephone company. The change will be made immediately.

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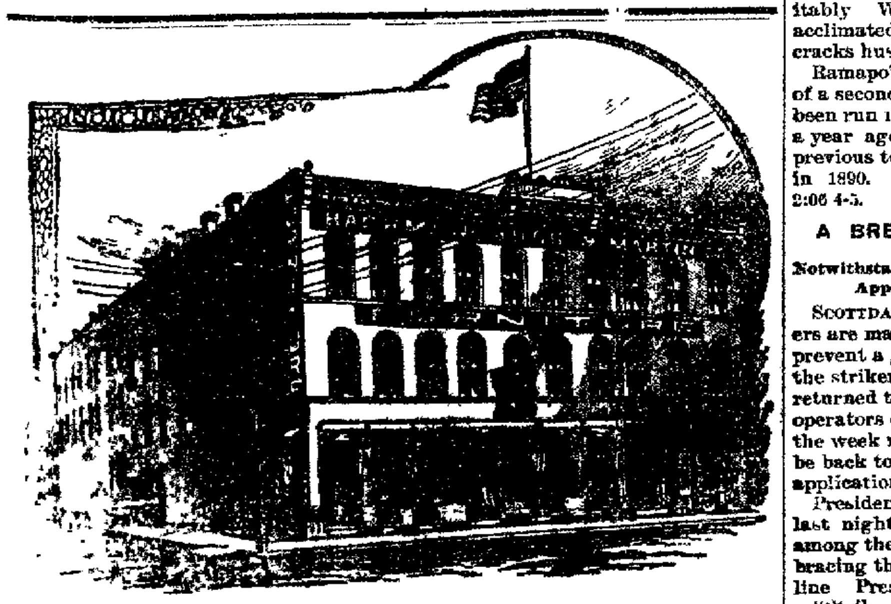

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The Greatest Suburban Handicap in History,

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Who Has Not Been Defeated this Year —Another Feather in the Cap of the "Lucky Dutchman"—The Other Starters.

NEW YORK, June 22.—The greatest Suburban handicap in the history of the classic event was won yesterday by Ramapo. It was not the richest suburban, as the prize was worth less financially this year than last by nearly $1,000. The winner got about $17,000. He got nearly $18,000 a year ago. The battle was a grand and well-fought one, and Ramapo, the first favorite, carried off the prize from that sterling aged gelding Banquet, only after a bitter and cruel struggle. That erratic beast, Sport, took it into his head to try when it was too late. He came like a shot from a cannon from the rear ranks, in the final sixteenth, and passing the other struggling contestants as if they were standing still securing third place by a comfortable margin. There was not an admirer or supporter of Sport on the track that did not believe that he would have won outright had Taral, Garrison, Sims or some equally capable jockey had the mount on him.

Since the future books opened on the race Ramapo has been the favorite. His record entitled him to rank as the best horse in the race, and he proved himself thoroughly worthy of the confidence reposed in him. His best and most brilliant victory was gained when he last appeared in public. This was when he won the Metropolitan handicap. He has not been defeated this year, and unless he is allowed to go stale the indications are that he will not be. His victory was a most popular one. The stable is in good odor with the backers of favorites, and Taral, his rider, is one of the most popular jockeys on the turf.

This victory gave Taral, who is rightly called the "Lucky Dutchman," a record enjoyed by no other jockey, that of winning the three big handicaps of the year. He won the Brooklyn with Dr. Rice, a discarded stable companion of Ramapo, and the Metropolitan and Suburban handicaps with Ramapo.

The race was run through and was a thoroughly clean and healthy one. Banquet, who is known to be nervous in a big field, was taken to the front and not allowed to feel his position. He was in consequence, for the first time, able to do justice to himself in a fair-sized field.

Sport showed his temper in the early part of the race, and Thompson could do nothing with him until too late. Sir Walter had been pampered with too much. His appearance at the post was not what it should have been. He was brought from Jerome park early yesterday morning, and had not recovered from the change of air and scene, and was really unequal to the task set to him.

The pace set by Kinglet and Banquet was too hot for Pickpocket and Henry of Navarre. Don Alonzo was the same big sulking cur he always is in good company. He was content to lope along in the rear ranks. St. Michael and Charade were thoroughly outclassed. Comanche in temper and habits and courage resembles Don Alonzo. He is a great horse in moderate company. As a stake horse he is a counterfeit.

Kinglet simply did all that was asked of him. He made the pace as hot as he knew how, and then left matters for his stable companion, Ramapo, to finish. King Lee acquitted himself creditably. When he becomes thoroughly acclimated he will make some of the cracks hustle to hold their own.

Ramapo's time—2:06 1-5—is two-fifths of a second faster than the race has yet been run in. Lowlander ran the race a year ago in 2:06 3-5. The best time previous to that was made by Salvator in 1890. He went the distance in 2:06 4-5.

A BREAK IN THE STRIKE,

Notwithstanding President Barrett's Wild Appeal to "Starve Striking."

SCOTTDALE, Pa., June 21.—The leaders are making all possible efforts to prevent a general break in the ranks of the strikers. The men at Bessemer all returned to work this morning. The operators claim that before the end of the week nearly all of the old men will be back to work, as they are making applications for their positions.

President Barrett issued a circular last night which will be distributed among the men to-day in the hope of bracing them up and keeping them in line. President Barrett's appeal closes: "Strike on peacefully, strike on determinedly, strike on stubbornly! Starve idle rather than working and starving, and drop exhausted in the last trench before you surrender!"

Last night a special train of six coaches filled with colored men passed through here for the south end of the district. They will be put to work at Trotter, Davidson and Oliphant. Two hundred families have been evicted at these works within the past week to make room for the imported men.

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CLEVELAND'S FRIENDS

Win a Victory in the Democratic County Convention at Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., June 21.—The democratic county convention to elect delegates to the state convention at Grand Rapids met here to-day, and resulted in a complete victory for the administration democrats, who will have an almost solid delegation.

It was expected that there would be a split, but the administration men were so largely in the majority that after a short struggle the anti-administration delegates gave up the fight. The result of to-day's convention indicates that the administration democrats will control the convention next week.

A Lively Row in the Italian Chamber of Deputies.

ROME, June 22.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday, Signor Imbrinan i, the leader of the radidals, demaded to know why the family of ex-Deputy de Felice, recently sentenced at Palermo to eighteen years' imprisonment, had been expelled from Sicily. Premier Crispi in reply read a dispatch from the town of Morra denying they had been expelled.

Signor Imbrinani insisted upon the accuracy of his information, and in an impassioned speech deplored the persecutions to which De Felice's child was subjected. Addressing the premier he cried in a loud tone: "Even you have a daughter."

Signor Crispi, in a still louder tone, replied: "My daughter is not the daughter of a malefactor."

Then ensued one of the scenes of uproar for which the Italian chamber is noted. The radicals and socialists rushed to a common center, shouting and shaking their fists at the premier, who remained perfectly passive. Several socialists and radicals endeavored to compel the premier to speak further by crying "'Shame," "It is infamous that you should add insult to misfortune," etc. These taunts failed of the desired effect, however, and finally Signor Biancheri restored order.

Pulled the Coupling Pins.

STAUNTON, Ill., June 22.—The wholesale arrests at Mount Olive this week do not seem to have entirely checked lawlessness there on the part of some of the strikers. Conductor Carroll's train on the Wabash railroad was held there for about an hour for other trains Wednesday evening, and when he got ready to move his train, which held some twenty cars of coal, he found that nearly all the coupling pins had been pulled, some of which had been taken or thrown away. No violence of any kind, however, was attempted.

To Contest the Seat for Midlothian.

EDINBURGH, June 21.—The liberals of Midlothian have selected Sir Thomas David Gibson-Carmichael, justice of the peace for the county of Edinburgh, as their candidate in the contest for the seat in parliament for Midlothian, which Mr. Gladstone, who has held it since April, 1880, has consented to retain only until the next election.

Murder in the First Degree.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., June 21.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Halliday has returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

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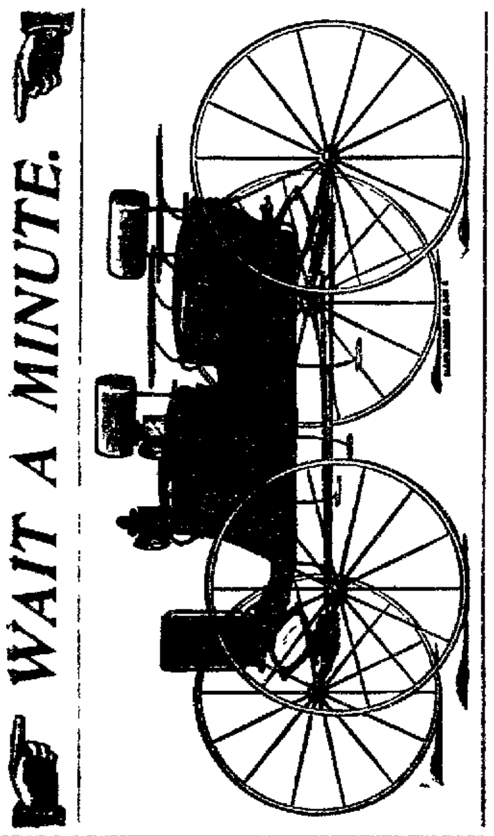

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JOHN G. KELLER.

IN the course of an interview, published in the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, Ex-Senator J. J. Ingalls gave the following good advice which it would be well for our people to adopt: "The financial distress now upon us is inexplicable to those who have no personal knowledge of it, and there is no immediate prospect of relief. The lesson of it is that our people must become more economical, more frugal and saving. There has been too much extravagance, too much living from hand to mouth, with no thought for the morrow. The American people must begin to imitate the people of France and Germany in habits of economy and frugality."

Conger vs. McKinley.

The country at this time is being treated to a surfeit of political knowledge by the tongue of A. L. Conger, of Ohio. That eminent gentleman not only gives the people the benefit of his own prescience but assumes also to speak for the people. There are no Republicans, except dead ones, that are quite to his liking and he prefers the dead ones because he is able to give their position on all such public questions, as they failed to express themselves on when they were alive. In these cases there is no dispute and no kicking.

Mr. Conger is one of those unfortunate men who does not like to see a live constituency pass by him shouting for his neighbor, and for that reason, and the additional one, that he is not dead, he is opposed to McKinley. He is fearful that the nomination of McKinley for president would be a fatal mistake for the party. He knows nothing against the character of the man, hence he professes to be a great admirer of McKinley, but claims he knows the people are not in favor of the McKinley tariff, and offers as evidence in support of the assertion that the Republican defeat in 1890 and in 1892 was due to that tariff act. What he says the people want is a tariff act in accordance with Blaine's views.

Now it happens that there are several things that are troublesome to reconcile with the Congerian theory. In the first place Conger conspired in 1891 to defeat McKinley for governor when the tariff question was not an issue. In that year he made an effort to array the laboring-men against him. This fact, which Conger no doubt thinks has been forgotten, disposes of his claim of personal friendship for McKinley, but he wants such a tariff as would conform to the Blaine idea—a tariff that would not be as high as the McKinley tariff. It happens, however, unfortunately for Mr. Conger that nobody on earth knows what kind of a tariff bill Mr. Blaine would have formulated had he ever attempted it. Mr. Blaine had always been for protection, but never helped to frame or pass a bill. It is said that Blaine objected at one time to the McKinley bill, but it has never been recorded what particular schedule he thought was wrong; yet it is a matter of record that Mr. Blaine approved the bill after it became a law.

There is still another feature of this matter Mr. Conger has lost sight of, namely, if Mr. Blaine's views as to a tariff were so beautifully opposite to those of McKinley, it puts Mr. Blaine's friends in a very awkward position, for the simple reason that when they found they were unable to nominate Blaine in 1892 at Minneapolis, they, one and all, voted in that convention for McKinley. If they were honest in that event, it disposes of the claim that his connection with the tariff act of 1890 would hurt him now. Then again, every Republican victory won since the Democrats came into power has been won upon platforms endorsing the McKinley tariff act; and those victories are numerous and widespread, which does away with the claim that the people are not in favor of that act.

The truth of the matter is, these claims made by designing men of the Conger stripe are made for the purpose of defeating McKinley, and are not made in the interest of the party. Every trickster has some tale to tell for the purpose of deceiving the people that his trick may win, and no trickster cares whether his tale injures the party or not. His scheme is always to carry his point at any price, and let the party take care of itself; and the people in this case should sit down solidly upon the schemes. The Republican party will win or lose on the McKinley bill, no matter who the nominee may be; but it cannot win by compromising, as Conger would have them do; and however bright the prospects for the party may now be, the moment the party leaders submit to the Conger policy, that moment the party is doomed to defeat, and it ought to be.

David B. Hill.

Senator David B. Hill has again arraigned the Democratic parry leaders for their stupidity and foolishness in drifting away from the party platform on the tariff, and taking up the income tax nonsense of the Populist party. He thinks that a political party ought to be honest enough to follow its platform declarations and that he for one will not follow leaders who take another direction. He says that in advocating an income tax, to divide other parties, those leaders have divided their own party, and in support of this statement he referred to the fact that the Democrats in Oregon, in their platform, had approved the income tax feature of the tariff bill and at the election which followed, the Democratic party had come out third best, and he preditced the same result would follow the same effort everywhere. One of his passages was a follows:

"I can not follow such leadership, which shifts and turns, and temporizes upon every public question; which compromises every well-established Democratic principle for which the party contended when out of power; which stands ready to adopt every passing 'ism' of the hour, which surrenders principle for expediency and pursues no consistent course foom one year to another. If political success of my party is only to be purchased by such methods and such sacrifices, I prefer defeat and the preservation of my self-respect.

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Crown Pumpkin	10c	Stove Polish	01c
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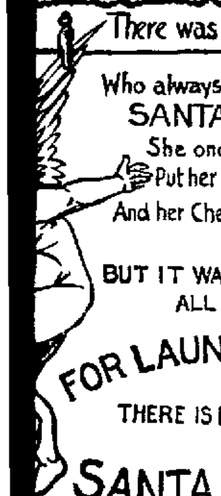

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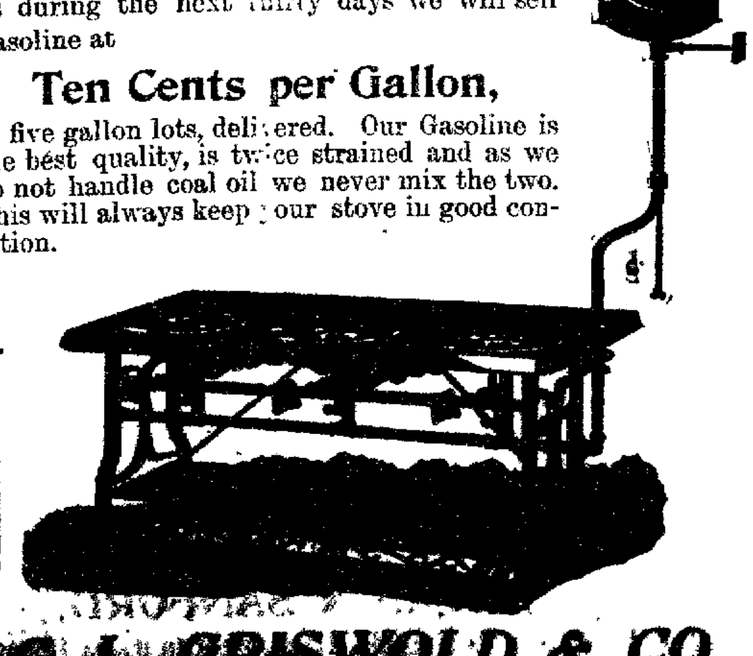

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AT Argenta on the Fourth John A. Dawson and W. C. Outten will be the orators. A. F. Smith will be the speaker at the big rally to be held in a grove in Christian county between Stonington and Taylorville.

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The Tour of the World.

All the numbers of the Photographic Tour of the World have been received at the REPUBLICAN office, and those who have only taken part of the series should call at once and fill up their set. No one who started in can afford to be without the entire set of portfolios of this magnificent work.

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A MINER'S PLAIN TALK.

His Views on the Question of Labor and Effects of Strikes in General.

A coal miner has given pointed expression to his views on the labor question and strikes in a Chicago paper. This clipping is taken from his article:

The very first thing we have to do is educate ourselves up to the point that the law of supply and demand will regulate our actions. We have come to that point where we find ourselves miserable by our own faults. We must throw aside the religious politics, nationalities, trades unions and assemblies, labor organizations, boycotts and strikes and join each other in one grand army to work in the one channel that cannot help but better the condition of every laborer. We must build up confidence between capital and labor by correcting our own faults. Our first mistake was to demand nine and ten hours' pay for eight hours' work after the capitalist had agreed to allow the eight-hour movement to go into effect that our brothers out of employment might be hired with the wages saved to the capitalist by our losing two hours per day, thus saving us the expense of their keeping and giving them a show to earn their own living.

The law of supply and demand always appeals to justice, so we must be just and not demand for a mere apprentice or incompetent workman wages equal to those of a thoroughly skilled mechanic in any branch of trade. Let a man's workmanship and ability be recognized by the proper amount of wages. If he is worth $4 a day, all right, and if he is able to earn but 50 cents, let that be enough. We must not strike for the supposed injustice of a few short dimes in our pay in one branch of trade and cause loss of many dollars to employes of some other branches, like the coopers in the present stock yards strike, where 500 to 800 coopers may "close down" the larger packing houses and throw out of employment many thousands of butchers, etc.

Again, we must govern our habits so as to improve those two extra hours, instead of dissipating so much as to be unable to report for duty the full time of the eight that we demand so strongly and are unable to supply. Study over how much we have lost and how little we have gained by the present mode of aggressiveness to right our wrongs in the last ten years, and you can easily see that I am on the right track, and if you will follow it up you will be able to supply that sort of labor that will demand a fair day's pay. Confidence will then be restored and capital will be used more freely in all branches of trade, and we will find more wholesome food for our minds than the tirades of those who are only leeches on the labor cause. Much more can be said on this subject touching on all classes of employment, where reforms can be made that would make all who are worthy happy, no matter what country we come from or what religion we believe in, or what trade we follow. But we must work, not look for work and pray we will not find it.

BASE BALL.

The Lincoln Club Defeated by the Iroquois.

The base ball game yesterday afternoon between the Lincoln High School club and the Iroquois club, on the Calumet club grounds in Riverside Park, resulted in the defeat of the visitors to the tune of 34 to 31. There was a large attendance of the admirers of the clubs and the game was a good one. The positions were as follows:

IROQUOIS.		LINCOLN.
Patterson	c	Hoblett
Starr	p	Landauer
Nicholson	1 b	Hatfield
Scruggs	2 b	Stokes
Hanes	3 b	Campbell
Spalding	s s	Mayfield
Rainey	l f	Dana
Millikin	r f	Noel
Bartholomew	c f	Gordon

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Iroquois	4	0	0	9	8	3	0	8	2	34
Lincoln	3	6	1	5	4	2	0	2	8	31

The Calumet and Y. M. C. A. nines are sliding over the diamond this afternoon. The Calumet players are Hubbard, Walston, Hildebrandt, Freeman, Fred Schroll, Lytle, Truax, Moss and Somerville.

The Marietta Street Stars will play any nine in town composed of members under 17 years of age. Their last game was with the Black Diamonds of Blue Mound May 30 and although twice challenged since then the Blue Mound nine has failed to come up to the scratch.

The George W. Jones base ball team will go to Sullivan Tuesday night.

The Geo. W. Jones team does not play ball on Sundays, and will not play any club for money, but it will play any club in a friendly contest.

Thirteenth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bobo entertained a few of their friends at their residence, 559 West Eldorado street, yesterday at dinner. The occasion was the 13th anniversary of their marriage, which took place at Maroa, and at which Rev W. S. Moore, formerly rector of St. John's church in this city, officiated. The afternoon was enjoyably spent. Those present were R. J. Young, Misses Annie and Mary Young, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Peverly of Warrensburg, Mrs. Charles Connelly and Mrs. R. J. Colver.

Dairy Tests.

The agricultural - experiment station at Champaign will assist in making butter tests where the circumstances justify sending an expert. Bulletin No. 17 describes the scheme and gives other valuable hints to butter makers. Any farmer may have all the bulletins issued sent to him from time to time, if he will send his address on a card to Agricultural Experiment Station, Champaign, Ill. They are usually [illegible] to republish in [illegible]

MET AT NIANTIC.

What was Done at the County W. C. T. U. Convention.

The annual convention of the Macon County W. C. T. U. was held at Niantic June 19-20. There was a fair attendance, and the meeting was characterized by harmony and interest. The convention was called to order at 9 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, by Miss M. E. Crissey, president of the 14th district. Reports from the county president, Mrs. Anna Persinger of Maroa, and from the various Unions in the county show that progress has been made. While some of the Unions are not in as good working condition as they should be, others are making renewed efforts in the cause. The evangelistic and juvenile work has made the most progress.

Flower Mission was added to the county programme, as several unions had already taken up that line of work.

Scientific Temperance Instruction has been introduced into the many schools of the county through the influence of the W. C. T. U.

Two unions are carrying successful Mothers' Meetings—Decatur and Warrensburg.

Those present at the convention from abroad were, Mrs. L. S. Rounds, State President, Miss Mahan, Supt of Young Woman's Work; Miss Helen Walker, State Corresponding Secretary and Superintendent of Literature, Miss Margaret E. Crissey, President of W. C. T. U., 14th district.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were:

President—Miss Anna Persinger, Maroa.

Secretary—Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, Warrensburg.

Treasurer—Miss Etta Foster, Elwin.

County Superintendents of Departments—Evangelistic, Mrs. L. M. Brown, Decatur.

Young Woman's Work—Miss Bessie Gilbert, Illini.

Juvenile Work—Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, Warrensburg.

Scientific Temperance Instruction—Mrs. I. K. Stafford, Decatur.

Mother's Meetings—Mrs. Emma Minson, Warrensburg.

Suppression of Impure Literature—Mrs. Dinwiddie, Maroa.

Press—Mrs. S. A. Underwood, Decatur.

Systematic Giving—Miss Jessie F. Smith, Argenta.

Watch Tower and Union Signal—Mrs. Lida H. Wells, Elwin.

Franchise—Mrs. Eliza Crary, Decatur.

Flower Mission—Mrs. Effie Pritchett, Niantic.

Democratic Primaries To-Night

This evening the Democratic primaries will be held in Decatur township to select delegates to the county convention to be held Saturday at the court house. Meetings will be held at the following places:

First Precinct—Stephens Bros. grocery store.

Second Precinct—Chronister's grocery store.

Third Precinct—Review Office.

Fourth Precinct—Bower's carpenter shop.

Fifth Precinct—Nixon's grocery store.

Sixth Precinct—Doake's livery stable.

Seventh Precinct—Jacobs' grocery store.

Eighth Precinct—Council rooms.

Ninth Precinct—Kincaid's building on East Eldorado street.

Tenth Precinct—Shoe store, corner Orchard and Calhoun.

Eleventh Precinct—Grocery store, corner Calhoun and Herkimer.

Twelfth Precinct—Grocery store, corner Broadway and Condit.

Thirteenth Precinct—Corner Church and Packard.

Fourteenth Precinct—Fritz's grocery store.

Prison Cigars

Upon being asked what he had to say in regard to the manufacture of cigars in the penitentiary, Gov. Altgeld replied that his letter to the president of the Cigarmakers' International Union covered the case and he had nothing to add to it, as his views had undergone no change. A few protests had been received against the policy it had been decided to adopt, but there seemed nothing to do but to go ahead on the line marked out and employ a few men in cigar manufacture. It was absolutely necessary to keep the men at work, and cigar making could only be dispensed with in case some other feasible method of working them should be suggested. Warden Allen, of the Joliet penitentiary, is in St. Paul attending the national prison congress. The manufacture of cigars in the prison will be started in a few days. The machinery is now being put in, and the manufacturers will start with twenty five convicts at the bench and increase as the business warrants.

Wabash Ahead as Usual.

Monday the Wabash beat the C. & A. in a race from St. Louis to Chicago. Each road had a special train from St. Louis to Chicago, carrying delegations of the Traveling Men's Protective Association. The members of the different parties put up considerable coin on the result of the race, each one backing the route he had patronized. The Wabash beat the C. & A. into Chicago one hour and forty minutes and then the winners got a brass band and were waiting for the C. & A. when it pulled into the depot and unloaded the fellows who had lost their money and the race. Engineer Will Brown with 386 pulled the Wabash train on the St. Louis division and Al Schwartz with 146 made the run from Springfield to Chicago.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Columbia Degree Lodge, No. 199, I. O. O. F., this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock in hall of Celestial Lodge, East Main street. S. B. LEE, N. G. ANNETTE MOORE, Sec.

MODERN WOODMEN.—Regular meeting of Decatur Camp, 144, M. W. of A., this, Friday, evening, at 8 o'clock. Visiting neighbors invited. THOS. H. VEST, V. C. G. P. LEWIS, Clerk.

O. E. S.—Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter, No. 111, Order Eastern Star, this, (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Masonic Temple. M. D. ALLEN, W. M. MRS. SALLIE A. ORCHARD, Sec.

CARPENTER'S UNION—Union No. 783 will meet regular every Friday evening in Cigar Makers' hall. All members are requested to attend. H. O. DARLING, Pres.

PERSONAL MENTION.

O. E. Curtis is in Chicago.

Mrs. Edwin Ewing is on the sick list.

Edwin Baum is in Danville on business.

Chas. Pratt is in Chicago visiting friends.

Mrs. A. D. Holland has returned from Chicago.

Frank D. Caldwell is in Pana to-day on business.

Attorney J. M. Gray and bride have arrived in the city.

Miss Myrtle Flint is in Springfield visiting her cousin, Miss Eva Wallace.

Miss Nellie Schroll is in Ann Arbor attending the graduation exercises.

Mrs. Joseph Murphey has returned from a visit with relatives in Leroy.

Miss Sharp, of Monroe, Iowa, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cassell.

Mrs. J. R. Moore is entertaining Misses Nellie Godfrey and Lottie Hess, of Philo.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Waddell, 1221 North Church street, June 21, a son.

Mrs. Fred Bartholomew and father, John Adams, are visiting relatives in Galesburg.

Mrs. W. R. Abbott is in Charleston today attending the funeral of the late J. W. Hughes.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bauer, of 137 West Washington street, Thursday, June 20, a daughter.

Mrs. Samuel Trotter and Miss Nora Parker have returned from a trip to Colorado and the west.

Miss Lenice Crume, after a visit with C. A. Pollock and family, left to-day for her home in Peru, Ind., accompanied by Louis Pollock.

Miss Maggie Newman has the thanks of the REPUBLICAN editorial corps for a generous bouquet of fragrant sweet peas received this morning.

Howard Hanthorn, with J. A. Reeve & Co., who has been visiting in the southern part of California for the past few weeks, returned to the city yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. Euclid B. Rogers are guests of friends in Decatur. Mr. Rogers will fill the pulpit of the First Baptist church there Sunday.—*Illinois State Journal.*

Mrs. George I. Gray and son, of Hot Springs, Ark., arrived here yesterday accompanied by Misses Maria and Etna Williamson to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brandom.

W. C. Chillcott, of Indianapolis, is the guest of A. H. Antrim and family. Next week Mr. Antrim and family and Mr. Chillcott will leave for Bay City, Wis., to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glysson, after a visit in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, returned to their home in Springfield. They were here to attend the Brant Boyer wedding.

Mrs. S. Davis May came home yesterday from Nashville, where she attended the Moore-McCracken wedding on Wednesday. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Moore, who will visit here several days.

Mrs. W. H. Conner and two children, Katie and Woodie, of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, are visiting Decatur relatives. They are on their way home from South Bend, Ind., where Miss Katie has been attending the Ursuline school.

Hon. E. H. Griggs, Republican member of the legislature from the Sixth district, Chicago, is in the city representing the Minnesota Fire Insurance company. Mr. Griggs, who paid the REPUBLICAN office a call to day in company with ex-Ald. Scanlan, was a firm friend of Decatur in the late state fair fight. He voted for Decatur, and we take this occasion to extend him the thanks of our people for the favor.

TAKE your silk hat to Chilson's Dye House and have it cleaned and blacked. 134 South State St. 22-d1w

MISS MAUDE CALHOUN will give a luncheon this evening in honor of Miss [illegible] Davis.

DECATUR MINERS WORK

The Men Apply to the Company as Individuals for Employment.

Plenty of Decatur Coal Can be Had at Once—Many of the Men Glad to Resume Work.

The coal strike in Decatur is over. The last union meeting for negotiating purposes was held this forenoon, and a committee was appointed to again wait on Superintendent Armstrong. He refused to recognize the union in any shape, but said he would give work to all men who would apply to the pit bosses as individuals. The 240 men at the hall heard the ultimatum as reported by the committee, and the meeting adjourned at 11 a. m. with the understanding that every man should do as he pleased. Immediately many of the men made application at the shafts, and at one o'clock quite a number went down in the old shaft. There was a general rush of the men at both shafts this afternoon, all making personal application for work. Coal will doubtless be lifted to-night or Saturday, and by Monday nearly all of the men will be at work again. It is not known that any of the leaders or agitators have been blacklisted by the company, but it is known that certain chaps who have been active in the strike have not yet applied for jobs. They may not do so.

The men have not been informed as to the terms on which they are to go to work. They will learn the terms by Monday or Tuesday.

The sympathy strike began May 10. The men have been idle 43 days.

EVERYWHERE LIKE DECATUR.

ST. LOUIS, June 21.—A large number of miners in Southern Illinois resumed work this morning. Among them are the Carterville Coal company's mine, Brush mine, St. Louis and Big Muddy, two at Breese, one at Trenton, the Joseph Taylor at O'Fallon, Oak Hill, Oakland, Avers & Randall's, Bellville, Tilden, Walnut Valley, Brandenberg of Glendale Coal company, Mission Fields and Peoria of Consolidated Coal company, and F. G. Langmeyer's in the Breese district.

Active preparations for resumption are being made everywhere. The Consolidated company expect to reopen in several mines to-morrow. General Manager Simpson states that the Staunton men had never been on a strike, and were always willing to work. Ten or more coal mines in the vicinity of Belleville resumed operations this morning. The Maule mine, the largest, resumed with about 75 men. Both the Crown Coal company's mines on the Air Line started up with all their old miners, numbering nearly 100. The other mines in operation are the Kloess and Oak Hill on the Air Line, the Humboldt and the Brandenberger on the L. & U., and the Nicol and Avery on the Cairo Short Line. Others will resume to-morrow.

OPERATORS FIX A SCALE.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., June 21.—A notice was posted in the office of the Taylorville Coal company to-day fixing a scale of wages for miners who want to go to work, and twenty-five applied for work this afternoon. A meeting of the miners' union was held to-night and it is thought the majority of the 140 will report for duty at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning. The scale fixed by the operators is about the same as that paid previous to the reduction April 10.

650 AT WORK AT PANA.

PANA, Ill., June 21.—About 650 miners out of the 1,000 employed in the mines here prior to the general strike were all that could secure work in the four mines of this city to-day; the remainder, being the leaders of the strike, were informed that their services would not again be needed and were advised by the operators to seek work elsewhere. Many of the men are preparing to leave. The strike has resulted in a complete failure

Storm News.

TUSCOLA, Ill., June 21.—While Frank and Ralph Lindsay were standing under a tree to-day lightning struck it. The flash killed Frank instantly and Ralph was severely injured. At Garrett, four miles west, a large elevator belonging to Marr & McLaughlin was blown down.

ARCOLA, Ill., June 21.—A destructive wind storm to-day leveled oats, rye and wheat to the ground. The loss is heavy.

CAPT. M. F. KANAN, who is one of the delegates from this district, to the Seventh annual convention, of the national league of Republican clubs which meets in Denver, Col., June 26, 1894, will leave to-morrow morning for the seat of the convention. He will join the Illinois delegation on the way.

MEMBERS of Decatur Juvenile Temple, No. 180, are requested to be at the hall at two o'clock, sharp, to-morrow with candidates for initiation. C. J. Holt will conduct a drill exercise at 2:30.

THE managers of the colored camp meeting have engaged the Italian band for Sunday afternoon and Sunday night at Oakland park. This is the August Lapetinas quartet of Rochester, N. Y.

WHILE cleaning out a street cistern yesterday at Springfield, George Williams and Reuben King were suffocated by sewer gas and died.

THE Wabash will run an excursion to St. Louis and return on Sunday, July 15th. The fare will be $1.50 for the round trip.

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Noah W. Tohill, Charged with Perjury, Goes Free in Court.

The two indictments for perjury against Noah W. Tohill, a resident of Long Creek township, came to naught in the circuit court. The jury in the first case brought in a verdict of not guilty at 10 o'clock last night, and this forenoon a part of the trial in the second case was had. I. D. Walker was the prosecutor by appointment of court for the last trial. When the People rested Attorney Leforgee for the defense suggested that the prosecution had failed to show that the alleged offense of Tohill was material to the case on trial, and he offered a motion that the court instruct the jury to find a verdict of not guilty. The court under the law was compelled to do so, and the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. Those who have known Mr. Tohill all his life have found him to be a truthful man and a man of sterling integrity, and they have stood by him in his trouble, which grew out of the barn burning case up at a former term of court. At no time has there been serious doubts of Mr. Tohill's acquittal.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Elizabeth Wey vs. William Wey; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

Julia L. Poor vs. James Poor; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

D. C. Shockley vs. Ann J. Stitzel et al; foreclosure. Report of master showing $508.32 due complainant, approved. Decree; $25 solicitor's fee taxed as costs.

Equitable Building and Loan Society of Peoria vs. Louis C. May and A. T. Summers; foreclosure. Report of master showing $3022.36 due complainants, approved. Decree; $100 solicitor's fee taxed as costs.

Charles Cazalet vs. Emily Cazalet; divorce. Evidence heard and divorce granted.

Emily V. Trainer vs. John Trainer; divorce. Evidence heard and divorce granted.

Ina Penwell vs Orville E. Penwell; divorce. Evidence heard and decree granted; custody of the child given to the mother, $10 a month for the child and $1,000 alimony.

ARRAIGNMENT.

This afternoon jail prisoners were arraigned in court as follows:

Lee Mays, forgery; pleaded not guilty.

Edward Lewis, burglary and petit larceny; pleaded not guilty. Attorney Whitley appointed to defend.

Enoch Knapp, burglary and petit larceny; pleaded not guilty. Attorney John Lee appointed to defend.

Edith Ayres and Zena Hunt; malicious mischief. Each sent to the county jail for one day.

James Williams, burglary and petit larceny pleaded not guilty; Attorney O. W. Smith appointed to defend.

Charles Jones, burglary and petit larceny; pleaded not guilty.

Roy Fowler, burglary and petit larceny, pleaded not guilty; Attorney O'Mara appointed to defend.

Judge Vail adjourned court until 9 a. m. Saturday.

Funeral of J. W. Hughes.

A short funeral service was held over the remains of the late J. W. Hughes this morning at the family residence, No. 462 South Main street, in the presence of a large number of sympathizing friends and relatives of the bereaved family. Rev. Howe, of the First M. E. church, delivered a beautiful discourse on the life of the departed. Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. Masons had charge of the services. The remains were escorted to the depot by the Masonic order and Brothers John Quinlan, Ike Lowry, I. N. Cool, Theodore Coleman, Cyrus Imboden and W. R. Melchers acted as pall bearers. The interment was this afternoon at Charleston. W. R. Abbott, as a representative of Ionic Lodge, accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

Pedalings.

There will be a meeting to-night of the Decatur Cycling club, to arrange for the Fourth of July races. It will be an important meeting, and there should be a full attendance of the members.

Bob Vail was doing some fast going on his Columbia Racer at the race track last night, when his foot slipped off the pedal and broke the frame of the bicycle. There was an instantaneous and total wreck of the wheel. One piece of it flew up in the air higher than a tall man's head, while Bob flew down and hit the ground. He was not badly hurt, but the bicycle was.

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F. D. Caldwell to C. S. Hankins, lot 4, in block 1 in Caldwell's resurvey in P. H. Brueck's Second addition to Decatur $550

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H. A. Wood to J. E. King, lot 4, block 1 West Park addition $250

J. H. Freyner to Clarinda Wayts and Sarah E. Lee 40 acres in 35, 16, 2 east $1

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[illegible] No. 155 North Water street [illegible] carpet store [illegible]

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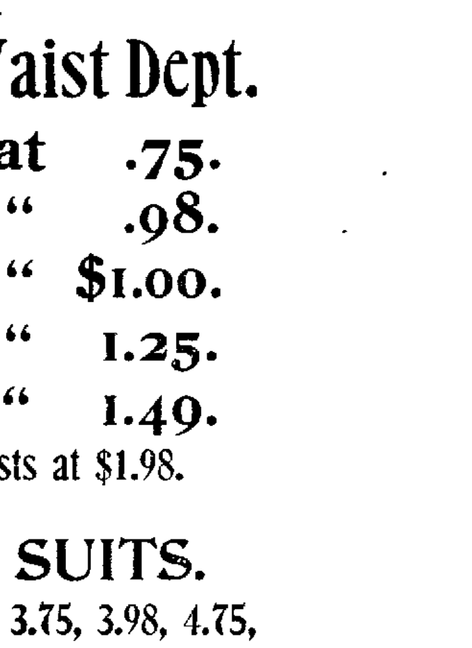

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 22, 1894.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations.

WHEAT CLOSE.

June wheat, 58¾, July, 59⅛; Sept., 61⅝; Dec., 64½.

CORN CLOSE.

June 41; July, 41⅛; Sept. 41⅝.

OATS CLOSE.

June, 45, July, 40⅞; Sept., 40⅞.

PROVISIONS CLOSE.

Pork—July, $12 30, Sept, $12 60

Lard—June, $6 67½ July, $6.70, Sept, $6.80.

Ribs—June, $6.52½; July, $6 52½ Sept., $6.55

Hog receipts 19,000; 5,000 below the estimate. Market 10@15c higher. Light $4 70@$4.90 Mixed $4 80@$4 90 Heavy $4 67½@$5 15 Rough $4 60@$4 75 Estimate for to-morrow 15,000

Cattle receipts 4,500, market steady

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat all grades, 50. Estimated, 53.
Corn all grades, 391. Estimated, 360
Oats all grades, 150. Estimated 150.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, wheat weaker, corn nothing offering. On passage and for shipment, wheat rather easier; corn quieter

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat spot at opening firmly held, corn firm but not active

MARK LANE—Wheat quiet but firm, corn weaker

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 44, Corn, 431, Oats, 200.

Minneapolis and Duluth got 222 cars of wheat to-day against 403 same day last year.

The total clearances of wheat were 87,842 bushels. Flour 60,871 pkgs. flour.

The total clearances of corn were 24,656 bushels.

The total clearances of oats were 10,710 bushels.

MARRIED.

At his office by Justice Odor, June 21, Andrew Yockim, of Harristown, and Miss Maggie May Brewer, of Mt. Zion.

Card of Thanks.

The sincere gratitude of Mrs. Ernest L. Petzel and the children are extended to all dear friends and kind neighbors for their sympathy and friendly acts during the illness and at the funeral and burial of our loved one, husband and father. Special thanks are extended to the Wabash shop men.

A Glorious Rain.

Decatur got a good, soaking rain today at noon. It came down in sheets for half an hour, and the streets were rivers of water for a time. Still it is hot—86 in the shade at 1:30 p. m.

Soft Coal.

I have now on hand a sufficient supply of soft coal to fill all your orders, at the same old price. F. D. CALDWELL.
22-d6

THE MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

Frank Hatton Reviews In Facetious Style Senator Morgan's Hawaiian Report.

Some day, in the sweet by and by perhaps, we shall know exactly what Senator Morgan's report on the Hawaiian investigation really means. We shall know whether it is intended as a manly demonstration of American sentiment or a suave and servile whitewashing of a discreditable blunder—whether it is a shriek of the noble bird of freedom or the still small warble of the lowly cuckoo.

For the present we are able to disentangle from the bewildering labyrinth of its language one isolated fact of moment—the fact that Mr. Morgan and a majority of the committee with him believe in the annexation of the islands. Out of that wild and tossing sea of rhetoric we have succeeded in snatching this lonely derelict. But all the rest of it is enveloped in a tender haze of volubility, which, while it accomplishes wonders in the way of stimulating guesswork, is valueless as a guide to definite conclusions. The utterance appears to be confused with howevers and notwithstandings and moreovers, and there is in it an opulence of "if so, why not?" profundity that baffles exact analysis.

According to this astonishing document, everybody connected with the Hawaiian incident behaved like a statesman, a scholar, a hero and a patriot. Mr. Stevens was correct, and so was Mr. Blount. President Dole is a great man on the right track, and Liliuokalani a perfect lady, if somewhat in distress. The United States authorities acted wisely in recognizing the queen's downfall, and the administration has kept well within its lawful powers in trying to set her up again. In a word, the report furnishes a common ground upon which all men may meet and where all sorts of opinions can find encouragement and sympathy.

As we say, there is just one downright proposition to which the bewildered citizen may cling, and that is the clear, unequivocal and unmitigated declaration by seven out of the nine parties to the report that they favor the annexation of Hawaii by the United States.—Washington Post.

Collapse of the Great Coke Strike.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 21.—Reports by telegraph from all parts of the coke region indicate that the great strike for an advance in wages, inaugurated about three months ago, and involving nearly 20,000 men, is on the verge of collapsing.

One-half of the ovens of the region will be in blast by next week. This will be almost as many as were producing coke when the strike began.

Another Title for Capt. Mahan.

OXFORD, June 21.—The honorary degree of D C L was conferred yesterday on Capt. Alfred T. Mahan, of the United States cruiser Chicago, by the university of Oxford at its commemoration festival.

Not Yet Afloat.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 20.—The efforts to float the steamer Plymouth, which is aground off Spindle Rock, have not yet been successful.

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WANTED—You to know that R. A. Kelly, 304-308 North Franklin street, is prepared to store your goods and insures same at reasonable rates. may16-dtf

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply at 1123 North Edward street. 18-d6

WANTED—My friends and patrons to know that I have just received a new stock of Spectacles which I have bought at extremely low prices and will give my patrons the advantage of these prices. MARY NESBITT, 250 North Park street. June 5-d1m

WANTED—Salesman, salary from start, permanent place. Brown Bros. Co., nurserymen, Chicago, Ill. may19-d4w

WANTED—Everybody to know that Dick Carter, the reliable boot and shoe maker, at 151 East Prairie street, makes neat repairing a specialty and solicits your patronage. may18-d1mo

WANTED—If you need a pump don't fail to call on R. A. Kelly, 304-308 North Franklin; he sells the best pump in the city for the least money, he handles the Walter A. Wood and Minneapolis binders, and repairs, call and see him. 16d tf

WANTED—You to know that we have opened a new hardware store at 1119 North Water street. We carry a complete line of goods at lowest prices. Sheet iron and tin shop in connection with the store. Strader & Co. may13dtf

WANTED—Every man, woman and child in Decatur to win wealth, happiness, long life and contentment by occasionally dropping an ad. in this department

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 449 North Water street, and examine the patent bolt scissors. Inspect their work and you will be convinced that their equal has never been placed on this market. apr23-dtf

WANTED—You to know that we are prepared to renovate your feathers without you incurring any loss whatever. Satisfaction guaranteed, charges reasonable. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. apr16-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know and be convinced that the REPUBLICAN want column is the proper means through which to have that "want" satisfied. apr16-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that P. M. KEENAN has located at 114 East William street, where he has a line of high-grade pianos and organs. Decker Bros., Esty and Camp & Bro.'s pianos. Finest line ever shown in Decatur. apr18-dtf

WANTED.—James Hollinger wants his old friends and customers to know that he has bought out the barber shop at 742 East Eldorado street, that he has four good barber chairs, has competent workmen and can assure all of a good shave when they visit him, artistic hair-cutting and shampooing. Also furnishes Turkish or Russian baths. Parties who wish to have Turkish or Russian baths should send in their names and make engagements ahead in order that they may not be disappointed when they come for such a bath. It takes time to give a Turkish bath and do it right. Apparatus is complete and service good. apr28-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that they can buy first-class second-hand furniture and stoves of us at half-price. We have a splendid line of second-hand lounges and parlor suits newly upholstered and refinished, just as good as new, bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Chicago Second Hand Store, 259 East Main street first door west of Grindol's marble shop. All kinds of furniture repairing done at short notice. apr13-dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—On easy payments, some good work horses, very cheap. Apply to E. B. Dimock, 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet store, or at Dimock's feed and sale stable, west end of Eldorado street. june18-d1w*

FOR SALE—A gas cooking stove with oven, in good order. Inquire at 848 Johns avenue. 16-d6*

FOR SALE—A good farm of 120 acres, with new barn, 6 room house with basement with rock foundation, good well and outhouses, coal bank with 3 foot vein at 30 feet and 5 foot vein at 90 feet from surface, object for selling old age, want to retire from farm, a bargain. Address or apply to Harvey Greider at Central Hotel for further information. june6dtf

FOR SALE—The original Budweiser beer, best in the world, bottled for family use by Frils & Grass, call telephone 518. 18dtf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Space in our want columns for you to advertise for your wants, to sell or rent your belongings, at the low rate of 25 cents per week for notices not to exceed forty words. apr16-dtf

FOR SALE—A commission agency doing a business of $1,500 per year; good profit, will sell to the right party cheap for cash, can conduct the agency without much capital. Call or address 136 Merchant street, second floor, room 13, Decatur, Ill. 23dtf

FOR SALE—The effects of the man who refused to advertise in the "For Sale" column of this paper. He lacked good business sense and now he's busted.

FOR SALE—Two-story house of eight rooms and cellar. 40 feet front. Good barn with driveway to street. Paved street. Sewer in alley. City water. Owner wishes to leave the city. 734 West Decatur street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished front rooms on first and second floor. Only one block from Lincoln square. Call at 215 South Main street. 20-d6

FOR RENT—A large room on second floor of store for office or dressmaker's use. Also a new 7-room cottage at corner of West Eldorado and Dunham streets, good barn, well, cistern, &c., for rent July 1st. Inquire of Chas. J. Johnston, 151 N. Water street. 9-d6*

FOR RENT—A neat cottage on St. Louis avenue. For terms, etc., call on A. J. Dresbach, at Young & Dresbach's meat market, North Park street. June 19-dtf

FOR RENT—Barn room for two horses, with place for hay. Inquire at 749 North Water street. 19-d6*

FOR RENT—Hotel, Thirty Rooms, three blocks from J. Millikin & Co.'s bank. Also one good store room, choice location for grocery, drug store, meat market or barber shop. Also a good eight-room dwelling three blocks from new square. Apply to John A. Brown, over Armstead's store. 18-d6

FOR RENT—A house of 8 rooms, at 1131 East Marietta street. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 E Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—A four room house on the corner of E. Marietta and N. Woodford. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 East Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—Choice rooms over McGinty's saloon on North Water street. Enquire of M. McGinty. 15-d6

FOR RENT—Space in this column, which all good people are invited to inspect. The small investment is better than preferred stock in a gold mine. Ladies and gentlemen who patronize this column may in time wear diamonds. tf

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate ... Apply to WALTER & WALTZ, room ... block, over the National Bank of Decatur. nov1-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN in any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. C. T. HAIGH, over Bucher's shoe store, 123 E. Main street. mar16dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman & Co., over Millikin's bank. 15-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

FOUND AT LAST.—The people of Riverside in particular and Decatur in general have found the best place to buy groceries, meats, candles, flour, fruits, cigars, etc., at W. F. HURTT'S Riverside Grocery House. 20-d3w

LOST—A fine Jersey cow, bright brown, little under medium size. Will pay suitable reward for return of cow to 545 North Franklin street. Telephone 278 or 582. 18-d6

LOST—By those persons, who do not use the REPUBLICAN want columns, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered here every day. apr16-dtf

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grade pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Pedderord, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best aristotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. 7dtf

FOUND AT LAST—The place to have your watch repaired so that it will keep correct time. Take it to JENNISON'S fine watch repairing shop, No. 314 North Main St. apr17-dtf

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

FOR EXCHANGE for house and lot or vacant lots, a grocery store at Macon, doing a good cash business.

Also improved and vacant property in this city to sell at hard time prices, have a good property on paved street in best part of the city to trade for stock of groceries.

Fourteen 3-year-old mules to trade for stock of groceries.

A fine farm in Jasper county, Indiana, to trade for stock of boots and shoes.

I want to trade a first-class farm of 120 acres in Macon county for farm of 200 acres or more and pay difference in money, the farm must be in this county and well improved prairie land.
O. T. KIRK,
31d6 300 North Water street.

BUSINESS CHANCES.—For sale or trade, stock and fixtures of a grocery doing good business.

Small stock of new furniture.

Fruit and candy stock. Owner is away and can't look after the business.

Meat market. Saloon.

Drug store. Stock of hardware.

Three unincumbered lots to trade for small property

A good mill in a thriving town in Shelby Co.

Will take a good driving horse as part pay on a choice lot
142 East Prairie street. KUNA & JOHNS.
may9-dtf

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Some desirable Nebraska land to exchange for stock of goods or other property.

Several desirable pieces of city property to exchange for farm lands.

Four vacant lots in Wisconsin town of 30,000 to exchange for horses.

Vacant lot in Riverside to exchange for new upright piano, must be good.

I have a customer who will pay cash for vacant lot in desirable part of the city, must be cheap for cash, will take incumbered property and pay off incumberance.

Equity in elegant residence within one block of business portion of city; this property has all modern conveniences; this is a snap for someone, numerous other bargains.
C. M. ATTERBURY,
may21-tf Over Irwin's drug store.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—By A. O. Bolen—80 acres of land in Iroquois county, Ill. well improved, price, $3,000, incumbered for $1,000; or will trade equity for Decatur property.

80 Acres of improved land in Macon county; price, $5,400, incumbered for $2,800, for sale, or will trade for Decatur property

A good two-room house in northwest part of city for $450, $300 in loan, will sell or trade equity

A good four-room cottage for $1,200, a bargain $5,000 to $10,000 worth of stock in a good established business to trade for a modern residence in Decatur, a good chance for the right party to engage in business.

I write insurance and make loans. If you want to buy anything call and see me. If you want to sell call and leave your property with me. If you want to exchange call and see me.
A. O BOLEN,
23d6 Over Millikin's bank, Decatur, Ill.

HERE'S SOME MORE NEST EGGS—Look them over, then come and see. You will never will have a better opportunity to own a small farm or suburban home than right now

2 pieces, 5 acres each;	1 piece, 86 acres,
1 piece, 12½ acres,	1 piece, 87 acres,
1 piece, 14 acres;	1 piece, 128 acres,
1 piece, 60 acres;	2 pieces, 80 acres, prairie
1 piece, 67½ acres;	1 piece, 75 acres, prairie;
1 piece, 77½ acres,	1 piece, 140 acres, prairie
1 piece, 2 acres;	1 piece, 8 acres,

8-room house, edge of city, $4,000, 3 houses, etc., edge of city, $7,000. Most of these pieces lie near street cars. They are suitable for suburban homes, chicken ranches, gardening or dairy. If you have any property for sale or exchange, it will pay you to list it with me. Have gentle horse and buggy at the office all the time to show the properties. For further information, call or write. P. H. BRUECK,
mar17-dtf 249 N. Main St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ROASTED ALIVE—WANTED—Land-seekers to know they can go to Storm Lake, Iowa, free of charge. For further particulars call and see me, or address me at my office. GEO. A. FLEMING, 136 South Water street, Decatur, Ill. June 22-d6w1*

BOARD AND ROOMS.—I will have for rent, Saturday, June 23, one suit of rooms en suite, or single; also one front parlor or parlor bedroom, all furnished, with large alcove window, will also furnish table board for 4 or 6 people, everything first class and none but respectable people desired. Price reasonable, accommodations first class. Address or call on Mrs. L. B Robbins, 319 South Main street. 20-d1w*

YOU SHOULD remember the difference in the cost of the best and poorest insurance is but a trifle, the difference in case of loss, however, may be sufficient to bankrupt you. Cay & Midkiff have some of the best. 337 North Water street. June 18-dtf

HERE'S RICHNESS.—Mrs. C. Burnside has taken charge of the confectionary, one door south of Park hotel, North Water street. Ice cream for parties, choice confectionary. Best of everything. Lowest prices. 15-d1w*

COME ALL YE WHO HUNGER—To the new restaurant and lunch counter, 161 North Water street, when you want viands cooked to the queen's taste. Everything new. If you come once you will call again. 15-d6

OH, YES! OH, YES!—Know ye, that Reardon & Co. have opened at 801 North Water street, a complete line of second-hand furniture, stoves, cigars, glass and tinware, notions, &c., and prices are so low that even the sun stands still. Call and see us. 15-d6

NEW STORE.—W. D. Wheeler informs his friends that he has bought J. H. Kay's stand, 629 East Eldorado street. A complete line of groceries, feed, poultry and fish always on hand. Prices made to suit the times.
may26-dtf

HAVE you ever stopped to investigate the true merits of Steel Roofing? If not, and you are in need of roofing for a building of any kind, call on the Decatur Steel Roofing Co. for information. You can see on file hundreds of letters from responsible parties who have used this roofing for 20 or 30 years and highly recommend it. may24-dtf

FULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena, Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city. Call on or telephone 220. N. Sommersbach.

NEW MEAT MARKET.—Adam Kreber & Son have opened a new meat market at the corner of West King and Monroe streets. The best stock to be had always on hand. Call and see us. may30-dtf

C. A. FOSTER—Teacher of high grade piano playing. A limited number of pupils received for the summer. Studio over Dr. Waltz's dental office, North Main street. Office hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. june8-d1m

DON'T READ THIS—The young man who took his best girl to ... [illegible] ... will bloom in the ... [illegible]

R. O. ROSSER, Architect and Builder. Office over Piper's Studio, opposite Library block.

STARTLING YET TRUE—and thoroughly demonstrated that sheet painted with graphite resists the action of the elements, is impervious to rust and can be bought from the Decatur Steel Roofing Co. at less cost than shingles. may24-dtf

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and wareroom 620 East Mason street. Telephone 292. C. C. HARPSTRITE. jan-dtf

W. A. HOLMAN, professional auctioneer of all kinds of property. Ten years' experience. Terms reasonable. Orders by mail, or left at the city clerk's office, promptly attended to. 3-d3w*

J. M. MYERS, proprietor Decatur Rubber Stamp Works, 201 South Church street, Decatur, Ill., furnishes everything in rubber stamps and supplies on short order. 15-d6

BOARDERS WANTED—Fine boarding, viands prepared as your mother used to cook. Board and room $3.50 per week. Call at 227 South Main street. 19-d6

R. L. FULLINWIDER & CO., manufacturer foundry patterns, models, furniture, keys, house numbers, plasterers' tools, quilting frames, door and window screens. Repair bicycles, sewing machines, electric bells, electrical supplies, gasoline stoves, stove repairs, setting window glass, locks, lawn mowers, baby buggies and musical instruments. Grinding and polishing barber supplies, scissors, saws, surgical instruments and all kinds of tools sharpened. Drop us a card and we will call at residence. Shop 269 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. apr21-dtf

H. G. HUGHES—Newsdealer. Dealer in newspapers, magazines and periodicals of all descriptions. Notions, books, etc. 225 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. 3-dtf

V-CRIMPED SEMIE STEEL ROOFING—painted with Graphite, anti rust roof paint, will last an ordinary lifetime and can be had at less cost than shingles. For particulars, prices, etc., address Decatur Steel Roofing Co. may24-dtf

GO to W. D. Chamberlain & Co. in the Library Block for your furniture and upholstering and repairing. apr16-dtf

THE Mutual Telephone company is now ready to make contracts for service. For particulars call on DR. J. G. HARVEY, Opera House Block. apr23-dtf

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. R. FOSTER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street. Jy1 dtf

PIANOS, Organs, musical instruments, jewelry, silverware, watches, clocks, lamps, lace curtains, window shades, chenille goods, carpet sweepers, etc., on easy payments, if desired. A practical jeweler in the store. Also successful piano tuner and organ repairer. Satisfaction guaranteed. S. GARRETT, 449 North Water St. apr12-dtf

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Dr. James L. Bevans,

Physician and Surgeon,

who formerly practiced at Boody and later at Quincy, Ill. has returned and permanently located at Decatur. Down town office, Rooms 15 and 16, Second Floor, Columbia Block, Postoffice building. Office hours 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., and 6 30 to 8 p. m. At all other hours he will be at his Residence-office, 831 North Monroe street. Calls in town or country promptly attended to day or night. Telephone 868.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D., 1894.

Clara L. McKee vs. Henry McKee—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the nonresidence in this state of the said Henry McKee, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Henry McKee that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court upon the above named defendant, returnable upon the first day of next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D., 1894.

Now, unless you, the said Henry McKee, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated Decatur, Illinois, this 13th day of June, A. D., 1894.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.
June 13-d4w

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court to the July term, A. D. 1894.

In the matter of the application of the city of Decatur to condemn property to extend East Decatur street

To Mary Bowles. You are hereby notified that the above-entitled proceedings are now pending in said court, in said county and state, and that such proceedings are pending to the next term of said court, and that in and by said proceedings land owned by you is sought to be taken and damaged, for the purpose of extending East Decatur street.

Now, unless you shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of said term to be held in said city, county and state, on the second day of July, A. D. 1894, to which time and place the summons is returnable, and object, plead, answer and demur to the said petition, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and an order of judgment and decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said petition. GEO. P. HARDY, Clerk.
may23-d4w

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given to the holders of certain bonds, to-wit: the bonds issued by the corporate authorities of Decatur township, Macon county, State of Illinois, to the Decatur & Monticello Rail Road Company, and dated September 25, A. D., 1873, and bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, due in twenty years from date, that provisions have been made for the redemption of said bonds and that interest on the same will cease on the first day of July, A. D., 1894. Holders of said bonds are also hereby notified that the same may be presented for payment on the first day of July, A. D., 1894, at the banking house of J. Millikin & Co., Decatur, Ill. H. F. MAY, Supervisor.
HARDIN C. WALLACE, Town Clerk.
June 19-d1d

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Martin Albert and against Mrs. Maude Brown, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: One-half of one-seventh (½ of 1-7) part of the east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty (30), town seventeen (17) north, range two (2) east of the 3d p. m., county of Macon, state of Illinois, taken as property of the said Mrs. Maude Brown, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county in said state, on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 12th day of June, A. D. 1894.
PETER PERL,
june13-d3w Sheriff Macon Co., Ill.

NOTICE.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Tuttle Kyle company ... [illegible]

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of Elizabeth Liddle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Elizabeth Liddle late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1894.
EDITH DUDLEY POTHEL,
june15-d3w Executrix.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect May 20, 1894.

Wabash.

FROM ST. LOUIS.		TO ST. LOUIS.	
No 10 Pass	4:45 p m	No 9 Pass	4 30 a m
" 4 Pass	11 27 a m	" 3 Pass	3 45 a m
" 44 Pass	11 25 a m	" 43 Pass	4 05 a m
" 42 Pass	10 10 p m	" 45 Pass	4 15 p m
" 2 Pass	12 40 a m	" 5 Pass	4 10 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY	
No 42 Pass	10 05 p m	No 43 Pass	4 30 a m
" 44 Pass	11 05 a m	" 45 Pass	4 10 p m
" 8 Pass	5:05 a m	" 1 Pass	9 05 p m
" 46 Acc	7 00 p m	" 47 Acc	6 45 a m
" 70 Freight	11 05 a m	" 71 Freight	11 35 a m
FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT	
No 43 Pass	3 30 a m	No 46 Pass	0 15 a m
" 45 Pass	3:58 p m	" 44 Pass	11 35 a m
" 41 Pass	9 00 p m	" 42 Pass	10 15 p m
" 47 Pass		" 46 Pass	
from Bement 10:40 a m		to Bement	20 p m
FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No 5 Pass	3 30 a m	No 2 Pass	12 35 a m
" 5 Pass	4 05 p m	" 4 Pass	1 07 p m
" 1 Pass, except Sunday	8 50 p m	" 6 Pass, except Sunday	6 25 p m

Illinois Central.

NORTH		SOUTH	
Diamond Special, daily	1 58 a m	Diamond Special daily	2 4. a m
No 192 pass ex Sunday	9 40 a m	No 191 pass ex Sunday	10 25 a m
No 194 freight ex Sunday	2 00 p m	No 193 freight ex Sunday	10 30 a m
No 102 pass ex Sunday	9 00 p m	No 101 pass ex Sunday	2 p m
No 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex Sunday	3 15 p m	No 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex Sunday	10 1 a m

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry. Co.

ARRIVE		LEAVE	
No 1 Pass	2 40 p m	No 2 Pass	11 30 a m
" 3 Pass	8 55 a m	" 4 Pass	1 30 a m
" 7 Freight	9 00 a m	" 10 Freight	1 p m

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

NORTH		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	2 53 p m	No 1 Pass	11 05 a m
" 4 Pass	6 55 a m	" 3 Pass	1 15 p m
" 30 Pass, Sunday only	7 30 a m	" 31 Pass, Sunday only	5 p m
" 14 Freight	10 45 a m	" 11 Freight	p m

Vandalia Line.

	ARRIVE	
From Terre Haute	11 05 a m	a m
From Peoria	40 p m	p m
	LEAVE	
For Peoria	11 30 a m	a m
For Terre Haute	7 a m	p m

WABASH EXCURSIONS

Denver, Colo., Tickets will be sold from Decatur to Denver and return at $24 40 on June 11th, 12th, 23d and 24th, July 21st and 22d, August 10th and 11th. This is less than one fare. Correspondingly low rates from other stations.

St. Louis, account races, $4.75 including admission to races. Sell June 14th and June 23d, good returning the following day

Jamestown, N. Y. Account B & P. O. Elks. Sell June 16, 17 and 18, good to return till June 27. One fare for round trip

Springfield, Ill. Account Democrat Convention. Tickets sold on June 25 and 26, good returning till June 28. One and one third fare for the round trip

Buffalo, N. Y. Account Roman Catholic Union Knights of St. John. Tickets sold June ... good for continuous passage going, to return till June ... One fare for the round trip.

Asbury Park, N. J., account of National Educational Association. Tickets sold ... on July 3d and 4th to the ... July 7th, 8th and 9th good returning ... One fare plus Two Dollars for the round trip. This ticket is good going through New York.

Toronto. Account Baptist Young People's Union. Tickets sold July 17 ... to return till Sept 15. One fare for round trip.

Cleveland, O. For the convention of the United Society of Christian Endeavor. One fare for the round trip, tickets sold for all trains July 9, 10, 11 good returning July 31. Extension of this ticket will be granted till Sept 15 by depositing same with joint agent at Cleveland.

Linwood Park, Vermillion O. Account Evangelical Association Sunday School ... and German camp meeting. Tickets sold Aug 5 to 21, good for continuous passage going, limited for return till Aug 28. Fare and a third for the round trip.

Washington D C. Account Knights of Pythias early in August. Dates and arrangements not completed.

Pittsburg, Pa. Account G A R. Early in September. Dates of sale not yet announced. Rate will be one cent per mile.

For rates, routes, maps, and any further information regarding any Wabash excursion, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. T. and P. A., Wabash railroad, Decatur.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

July 3d and 4th to all points within 200 miles on our own line one and one-third fare for round trip tickets, limited returning to July 5th.

Denver Col., account of American Institute of Homeopathy, June 11 and 12, good returning June 23 or 30 or July 10. Round trip $24 40.

Denver Col., account of annual convention of National Republican League June 23 and 24, good returning June 30 or July 10 or 27. Round trip, $24 40.

Denver, Col., account of annual meeting of Imperial Council Mystic Shrines July 21 and 22, good returning on July 27 or August 2 or 26. Round trip, $24 40

Denver, Col., account of annual meeting of League of American Wheelmen, August 10 and 11, good returning on August 19 or 25 and Sept. 13. Round trip, $24 40

St. Louis June 14 and 22. Round trip $4 75. Tickets limited to one day from date of sale.

Tickets can be had at 110 Library block or at Union depot. W. L. Smith, ticket agent.

VANDALIA LINE

Baptist Young People's Union convention at Toronto, Ontario, July 19-22. Tickets good until July 31st but may be extended to Sept. 31st by depositing with agent at Toronto. Rate $16.20 round trip.

International convention of United Society Christian Endeavor at Cleveland, Ohio, July 11, 15. Date of sale July 9-11, good until July 31st but may be extended until Sept. 31st by depositing with joint agent at Cleveland. Rate $12.65 for the round trip.

For further information call on or address W. W. Dawson, city ticket agent, 114 Library block, or C. O. Judson, U. D., Decatur, Ill.

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123 North Water Street.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received at my office, corner Prairie and Main, Tabernacle building, up to one o'clock p. m., July 2, 1894, for the supply of coal needed for the ensuing year, by the county of Macon, all of the coal to be of the best quality, screened lump and nut. The coal for the county jail must be delivered in the boiler room; the coal for the court house must be delivered in basement of same; coal used at the county farm must be delivered at Glenn's switch; coal for ... to be delivered at such time and places ordered. All coal must be delivered in such quantity as ordered. Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the committee. D. ... Chairman.
june...-dtd

B. I. STERRETT

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office: Over ... Clothing ...

THE SUGAR 'QUEST.

Majority and Minority Reports of the Committee

ON THE CONTUMACIOUS WITNESSES

Submitted to the Senate—Why the Minority Dissent from the Findings of the Majority—Careful Not to Exceed Their Powers.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—The committee la te this afternoon laid before the sena te its report on the cases of the contumacious witnesses. Senators Gray and Lindsay, in dissenting, reported that they did not believe that in our system of government unlimited power is deposited by the people anywhere, but that, on the other hand, limited power was conspicuously kept in view by the framers of that government. They do not feel at liberty, therefore, to impute to the senate a purpose to pursue ends clearly beyond the scope of its power. Admitting that inquiry as to whether certain persons have made contributions to any political party to secure or defeat federal legislation is within the competency of the senate to make, they deny that it is within such competency to direct an inquiry as to who has contributed to the campaign fund of any political party without reference to the purpose for which the contribution was made.

Therefore, in obedience to the well-established rule that where a construction is possible which brings a law within the enacting power of the legislature, such construction shall obtain, they have felt compelled to construe the resolution so as to make the instruction of the senate to the committee "To inquire whether any contributions have been made by the Sugar trust or any person connected therewith to any political party for campaign or election purposes to secure or defeat federal legislation "

As will appear from the evidence of Mr. Havemeyer and Mr Searles, submitted to the senate, the question was in substance thus put to them and answered in the negative. The report concludes:

"It is the opinion of the undersigned that the resolutions under which this committee is acting will not admit of the interpretation necessary to support the report of the majority of the committee, and that the said witnesses have not refused to answer any question that was pertinent to the inquiry with which the committee was or could have been p roperly charged.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, June 21—Mr Hill occupied the attention of the senate for nearly three hours to-day in the presentation of an argument against the income tax, and after the speech the senate proceeded to act on amendments to the section

The first amendment was offered by Mr Aldrich, to have the tax terminate in January, 1898 (instead of 1900) and that amendment was defeated Yeas, 22, nays, 39 The three populist senators—Allen, Kyle and Peffer—and two republicans—Dubois and Teller—voted with the democrats against the amendment, and the terminal point was fixed at 1900.

There was a renewal of the previous day's dispute between Senators Allen and Chandler, and there was also a harmless interchange of personalities between Senator Peffer and Hoar, but there was no progress made on the income tax sections except as to voting on a few amendments.

The senate adjourned at 6 10 p. m

HOUSE.

Another agreement, also by unanimous consent, was made by the house to-day respecting debate on the Hatch antioption bill by which two hours of to-morrow's session was set apart for the consideration of amendments to the bill under the five-minute rule and another hour, following them, is to be given the author of the measure to close the debate.

The feature of to-day's proceedings was a short speech by Mr Pence who used the recent interview on silver with Representative Reed as a text He said he was glad to welcome Mr Reed to the ranks of the silver advocates, but regretted that he had not taken the degree which made a man master of all—free coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1 He intimated his intention to offer a free coinage amendment to the antioption bill to-morrow

Speeches on the antioption bill in favor of its passage, were made by Mr Grosvenor, Mr Stockdale, Mr Wheeler and Mr Neill and against it by Mr Covert, Mr Bartlett, Mr. Boatner and Mr Cannon

Bills were passed to amend the act of 1888 to withdraw certain lands from private entry so as to enable settlers who have been compelled by drought or other misfortunes, over which they had no control to abandon their lands to make new entries to amend the mining laws so as to suspend for 1894 the requirement that $100 worth of work must be done each year on mining claims except in South Dacota and Colorado

A joint resolution from the committee on military affairs was agreed to appointing Charles M Anderson of Ohio Sidney G Cooke of Kansas, and A L Pearson, of Pennsylvania members of the board of managers of the National Soldiers home

The Nebraska Democratic Silver Conference.

OMAHA, Neb, June 21.—A thousand delegates are taking part in the democratic silver conference of the state this afternoon. Judge Ong, of Geneva, in calling to order declared that the hope of the country lies in bimetallism through democracy, and that it is difficult to tell whether protection or demonetization of silver were most injurious.

An Old Offender Lynched.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 22—Henry Cahns, a negro charged with attempting to criminally assault a white woman near Magnolia, Ark., was captured near the Louisiana state line yesterday afternoon, and taken back to the scene of his crime and lynched. Cahns was an old offender, having fled from Mississippi to escape the wrath of a mob of negroes for outraging a 5-year-old colored girl a year ago.

Speaker Crisp Better.

WASHINGTON, June 22. — Speaker Crisp, who has been suffering from a slight attack of indigestion, was [illegible] yesterday, and [illegible] in the house [illegible]

THE TEXAS CAPITOL.

Final Decision in an Important Suit Growing Out of Its Erection.

CHICAGO, June 22.—The prolonged and bitter litigation growing out of the building of the Texas state capitol and the resulting land deals connected with the enterprise, and in which Wm. Sturgis was arrayed as plaintiff against John V. Farwell, ex-Senator Charles B. Farwell and Abner Taylor, received a final quietus yesterday afternoon, when Judge Tuley, who had sat as arbitrator under a recent act of the legislature in the final adjudication of the case, rendered his decision.

The case is a noteworthy one. Fourteen years ago the state of Texas was desirous of securing a capitol building, but lacked the necessary funds. The Farwells and Taylor submitted a proposition which was accepted, wherby they were to erect a building at a cost of $3,000,000 and to accept in return 3,000,000 acres of state lands. In order to carry out their part of the contract, the Farwells and their associates organized the Capitol Freehold Land and Investment Co., the bonds of which were floated in England. Sturges, who had been a boyhood friend of the Farwells, acted as the English promoter. It was his contention that he had never received adequate compensation for his services, and in his suit, which was mainly carried forward by Attorney McCarty, of New York, he claimed that a total of $250,000,000 was due and unpaid.

The litigation has been replete with sensational incidents. Many vital papers in the case were lost by shipwreck, while, at the last moment, Mr Sturgis broke down and was unable to testify. His mind has gone, and he is now a mental and physical wreck.

Judge Tuley's decision, and from which there is no appeal, was not only voluminous, covering fifty sheets of typewritten cap, but technical and involved in the extreme. One interpretation of the score or more decrees gives Sturgis a verdict of $400,000. Another interpretation indicates that the plaintiff gets but $40,000

Attorney Monroe of local counsel for Sturgis, puts it this way: "We receive $75,000 and eighty lots in Marquette. Then on payment of $28,000 we obtain possession of 6,000 shares of stock of the Capitol Freehold Land and Investment Co, which the Farwells claim to be worth $50 a share. The verdict thus gives us a total of $347,000, together with the value of eighty valuable lots in Marquette, Mich It is not as much as we expected, but we have come out fairly well."

A DESPERATE NEGRO

Almost Severs an Officer's Arm with a Hatchet.

ST. LOUIS, June 21—Officer Jerre Collins, of the sixth district, almost had his left hand and part of the arm severed last night about 12 o'clock in a fight with a negro named Frank Steele. Officers Collins and J. Roche, of the same district, had arrested Steele's wife on suspicion of stealing a lot of table linen and silverware from the residence of T. W. Funston, 4606 Vernon avenue After the arrest of the woman Officer Collins went to the home of the Steeles, 3822 North Grand avenue, to question the husband in regard to the alleged stolen property, while Officer Roche went to the police station near by. Steele invited the officer in, and just as he entered the place, he noticed a fire in a stove and picked up the lid to look into the fire to see what was burning. As he did so Officer Collins claims that Steele picked up a hatchet and aimed a blow at his head. He saw the hatchet descending and threw up his arm to ward off the blow. The sharp blade of the weapon struck the officer on the arm, between the elbow and the wrist, piercing the flesh to the bone. Immediately after the assault, Officer Roche entered the house and, after placing Steele under arrest, the stove was searched and a lot of fine linen napkins were found It is said that Steele had just started the fire when Officer Collins arrived at the house.

THE ELLIS CASE.

The Arguments of the Attorneys Before the Jury Begun.

MASON, Mich, June 22—At the opening of court yesterday morning the defense in the Ellis trial requested that the prosecution be required to elect whether it will rely upon the theory that the changes in the returns were made by Wood or Healy. The court declined to so direct

Prosecutor Gardner then made the opening argument for the state, his thery being that Healy and Woods both took part in the changes under Ellis' direction, and that the entire testemony was consistent with this. He was followed by T. E. Burkworth, for the defense

The court requested that the argument be finished by Friday night, so that the case could go to the jury Saturday morning

General Resumption in the Railroad District.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 22—Latest reports from the railroad district indicate that nearly all of the mines have resumed, and that since Monday morning the output has been enormous. The heavy demands made upon the operators by manufacturers has taxed the mines to the limit. In the railroad district the only big companies that have not resumed are the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Co. and the Pittsburgh and Chicago Gas Coal Co.

District President Cairns, of the Miners' union, who is rapidly removing the tangles from miner differences in the river district, says many of the operators have signed the scale, and expresses confidence that by Monday next all mines will be running full.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday:

At Pittsburgh—Chicagos, 10; Pittsburghs, 7.
At Cincinnati—Louisvilles, 5; Cincinnatis, 4.
At Philadelphia—Baltimores, 9; Philadelphias, 1.
At Brooklyn—[illegible], 10; New Yorks, 1.
At Washington—Bostons, [illegible]; Washingtons, [illegible]

PRAYERS ANSWERED

Entombed Miners, Apparently Doomed to Death,

FOUND PRAYING FOR DELIVERANCE,

And Rescued After Strenuous Efforts—Many Remarkable Escapes from the Burning Mary Lee Mine—The Fire Still in Progress.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 21.—Further developments in the fire in the Mary Lee mines which broke out yesterday show that the disaster was even worse than was at first reported. Of the 180 men in the mine at the time, fifty were overcome by the great heat and smoke, and were dragged out after great peril. Of these Supt. John Whalen, Sam Barker, Wm. McKenzie and Ed Smith were dead. Twenty are in a critical condition yet, it being impossible to tell how many will survive The death of John White and J. Barker are looked for at any moment. Two who are still missing are believed by many to be dead in the mine.

Just before the rescuers were forced to leave the mines last night by smoke and heat they found twelve men in a room with the door partially closed by slate. Several were unconscious, while the others were praying for deliverance. After strenuous efforts they were rescued.

Many remarkable escapes are reported, and the scenes that were enacted were harrowing in the extreme.

The fire is still burning, and may continue for several days, though every effort is being made to extinguish it The owners of the mine are positive the fire was of incendiary origin, and openly charge the strikers, who are angry because the mine has resumed work Four strange men who applied for work went into the mine and came out, soon after which the fire was discovered. Several suspicious men were noticed running from the mouth of the mine from which the smoke was first seen Superintendent Whaley was the only man who knew the strangers who applied for work, and he is dead

OMAHA'S VISITATION.

Wednesday Night's Cyclone Followed by a Destructive Thunder Storm.

OMAHA, Neb, June 21.—This morning revealed a heavy loss incurred by last night's storm. The loss to property will run up into the thousands of dollars.

Dennis O'Brien lost his life and fully twenty other persons were severely injured.

Following the tornado a severe thunder storm struck this city this morning. A bolt of lightning descended upon the Nineteenth-street moter power house, striking the lighting arresters. Owing to the immense volume of the shock it pierced the register and entered one of the dynamos completely destroying it. The loss arising to the two instruments is fully $2,000.

Five barns were struck by lightning and one horse killed. Numerous houses were struck and the inmates stunned, but not fatally injured The Kellogg school building was struck by lightning, and the chimney on the south side was partly demolished. The pupils had just been seated and the shock penetrated almost through the building, frightening the school children to an extent bordering on a panic. The teachers, however, prevented this.

The loss to the building by fire is nominal. Several of the pupils fainted.

AN INDEFINATE CONTINUANCE

Of the Strike in the Massillon (O.) District Inevitable.

CLEVELAND, O., June 22.—All the mines in the Massillon district were represented at a meeting of operators in this city yesterday morning. The operators were practically unanimous against a continuation of the differential rates that have heretofore been allowed miners in the Massillon district. Capt. Drake said this differential had virtually driven the Massillon operators out of the market, and that under no circumstances would it be resumed The mines in the Massillon district have been idle since February 17. At the time the mines were closed the miners were getting eighty-five cents per ton where the veins were less than three feet in thickness, and eighty cents in veins over three and a half feet. The cut proposed at that time was to seventy-five and seventy cents per ton.

The operators present yesterday expressed themselves as willing to pay the rate fixed for Ohio—sixty cents where the veins are three and one-half feet thick and an additional five cents where they are less.

As the miners have determined to hold out for the differential, this action of the operators means an indefinite continuance of the strike in the Massillon district.

Ill-Advised Arrests.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 22.—Kelley and Baker, leaders of the army of tramps encamped near New Albany, were arrested in this city yesterday afternoon, under the vagrancy ordinance. An ex-councilman furnished bond for their appearance to-day and they were released. The arrests were regarded as ill-advised, and served to arouse much sympathy for the men.

Senator Wolcott is All Right.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—A cablegram from Senator Wolcott at Carlsbad was presented to the senate inquiry committee yesterday, saying: "I have never been directly or indirectly interested in sugar or in the Sugar trust or stock. If anything further is needed, please advise." The committee wishes nothing further from Mr. Wolcott.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Queen Victoria has returned to Windsor. She is in excellent health.

—Jerry Simpson says that he has gained a pound a day for the last nineteen days.

—The bullion in the Bank of England increased 1,091,964 during the week ended yesterday.

—The Hungarian house of magnates has passed the civil marriage bill by a majority of three.

—The United States Rubber Co of New York has declared a semiannual dividend of 4 per cent. payable July 14.

—The weekly statement of the Bank of France, issued yesterday, shows an increase of 2,400,000 francs gold and 825,000 francs silver

—A man and a little child were killed, many persons injured and fourteen houses demolished by a tornado at Bangor, S D., Wednesday

—It is announced by private letters from Japan that the sealing schooner Unga was lost by capsizing in a typhoon together with all on board.

—During a severe storm at Faribault, Minn, Wednesday evening the tent of Reynolds' circus blew over, injuring fifteen persons, one fatally

—Augustus Munk, a compositor, of Watertown, N. Y, walked off the open draw at Madison street, Chicago, at 2 a. m. yesterday and was drowned.

—Emil C Knapp, assistant teller of the Chicopee national bank of Springfield, Mass was arrested yesterday, charged with the embezzlement of $40,000 from that bank.

—It is said that glacial action in the moving of mountains on the right-of-way of the Union Pacific along the Columbia river may result in damages it will take $1,500,000 to repair

—The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 70 68 per cent, was yesterday 70.46 per cent. The rate of discount remained unchanged at 2 per cent.

—The senate of the [illegible] university has decided to confer the [illegible] of LL D, upon Lord Charles Russell [illegible] England, Bishop Stevens, of Ohio, and Bishop Walker, of Dakota

—A resolution demanding the resignations of the national officers of the United Mine Workers for compromising the strike was tabled in the convention of Ohio miners at Columbus yesterday.

—Jacob Hinig, a well-known sign painter and decorator, was instantly killed yesterday by the breaking of a scaffold upon which he was working in the Schultz opera house at Zanesville, O

—J S Coxey, the leader of the commonweal and nominee for congress in the eighteenth Ohio district, addressed a populist convention of several thousand people in North park, Ashtabula, O, Wednesday afternoon

—West Morris and Felix Ethington two murderers, both serving life sentences in the Tennessee penitentiary, made their escape Wednesday They sawed through the bars of their cells and climbed the walls by means of ropes

—Unknown persons placed dynamite under a negro tenement house at Warrior, Ala, at 3 a m, yesterday, and blew it up No one was killed, but six men were seriously injured The negroes had recently taken the places of strikers at the mines.

—Vice-President Stevenson, who was thought to be quite ill from being overcome by the heat Wednesday said yesterday morning that he was in his usual good health, and that his indisposition was but a passing fainting spell, which had only lasted a short while

—The National Live-Stock Sanitary association at Washington, yesterday elected the following permanent officers President, J A Potts, of Missouri, vice-president, Dr Robert Ward, of Maryland, secretary, A M Brownlee of Illinois. The next meeting will be in Chicago

—All the Philadelphia & Reading railroad car shops at Pottsville, Pa., have been ordered to work twelve hours a day hereafter The increased shipment of anthracite coal, resulting from the bituminous labor troubles, continues and compels the company to add to its car equipment

—Alvin Reed, of St Louis, financial secretary of the Twenty-fifth ward council of the A P A. was sandbagged while on his way home Wednesday night and robbed of his books containing the names of the members of the council It is surmised the books will be used for boycotting purposes.

—After an investigation of ten days the grand jury at Brazil, Ind., yesterday indicted James Booth, Robert Rankin, Ernest Poor, Charles Stock, William Wilson, William Worlen, William Carr and William Gardenning, for the assassination of Engineer William Barr on the Vandalia road east of that city on June 6. They are charged with murder in the first degree.

THE PRENDERGAST CASE.

The Prisoner Rather Overdoing the Insanity Business—The Fourth Juror Secured.

CHICAGO, June 22.—Judge Payne, who is presiding at the inquiry into Prendergast's present mental condition, received two pieces of paper yesterday from the assassin, each being written on. The longest of the screeds was of a political nature, impressing on the court the great responsibility of his position in the case, inasmuch as the writer was to be the candidate of the democratic party for president of the United States against Gov. McKinley. In the language of Judge Payne to a reporter for the United Press there was some more "rot" of a like character.

The other missive was to tell the court that he did not want to be declared insane, but innocent During the tedious examination of the veniremen at both sessions of court Prendergast sat out of view of the citizens called to judge of his sanity, occasionally fanning himself with a palm leaf, as the temperature was almost suffocating in its oppressiveness. He did some writing on his knee and played with his hair. He also assumed the "vacant stare" which all lunatics are supposed to possess, and if he is not insane he feigned lunacy to perfection Unfortunately for him, however, the jury will not be able to see him unless they strain their necks.

C. B Schenck, of Oak Park, a bank clerk, and Frank J. Raycroft, clerk in a wholesale grocery house, were accepted as jurors, and the four now chosen will be sworn to-day There was an argument before the judge after adjournment as to the form of oath to administer to the jury. The judge decided that the form should be guided solely by the prisoner's present mental condition

Sudden Death of a Banker.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 21.—T. J. Carran, a prominent banker of Los Angeles and an ex-state senator of Ohio, who was to have nominated Millard for lieutenant governor to-day, failed to appear in the convention. He was found dead in his room, having died of apoplexy.

Nominated by the Prohibitionists.

KENDALLVILLE, Ind., June 22.—The prohibitionists of the twelfth congressional district met in convention here yesterday and nominated James R. [illegible], of Fort Wayne, for congress.

Hot Weather Goods.

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We call special attention to our line of goods suitable for summer wear.

DRESS GOODS.

Challies at 5, 6, 8 and 15c yard.
Pongees, best quality, only 15c.
$1.00 quality of Henriettas at 69c.
Fast black Organdy Lawns at 15, 20 and 25c.
Indigo blue Calico at 5, 6 and 7c.
Table Damask, extra good, at 35, 45 and 48c yard.
25c quality of wide sheeting at 18c yard.
7c quality of Unbleached Muslin at 5c.
Ladies' Vests at 10, 15, 20 and 25c.

GENTS' GOODS.

Summer Undershirts at 25 and 50c.
Silk end Suspenders at 25, 35 and 50c.
Gents' tan or fast black Socks, 25c.
Unlaundried White Shirts at 48c.
Men's Percale laundried Shirts at 75, 85 and $1.00
Men's Ties at 25, 35 and 50c.
Men's Congress or Lace Shoes at $1.50, $2.00, $2.50.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Oxfords at 98c, $1.25, $1.50.
Ladies' Button Shoes at $1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.
Children's Shoes at 95c, $1.25, 1.35.
Baby Shoes at 25, 50, 60 and 75c.

Special low prices on Carpets, Lace Curtains. Chenille Portierres, Window Shades, etc., this week.

Chas. T. Johnston

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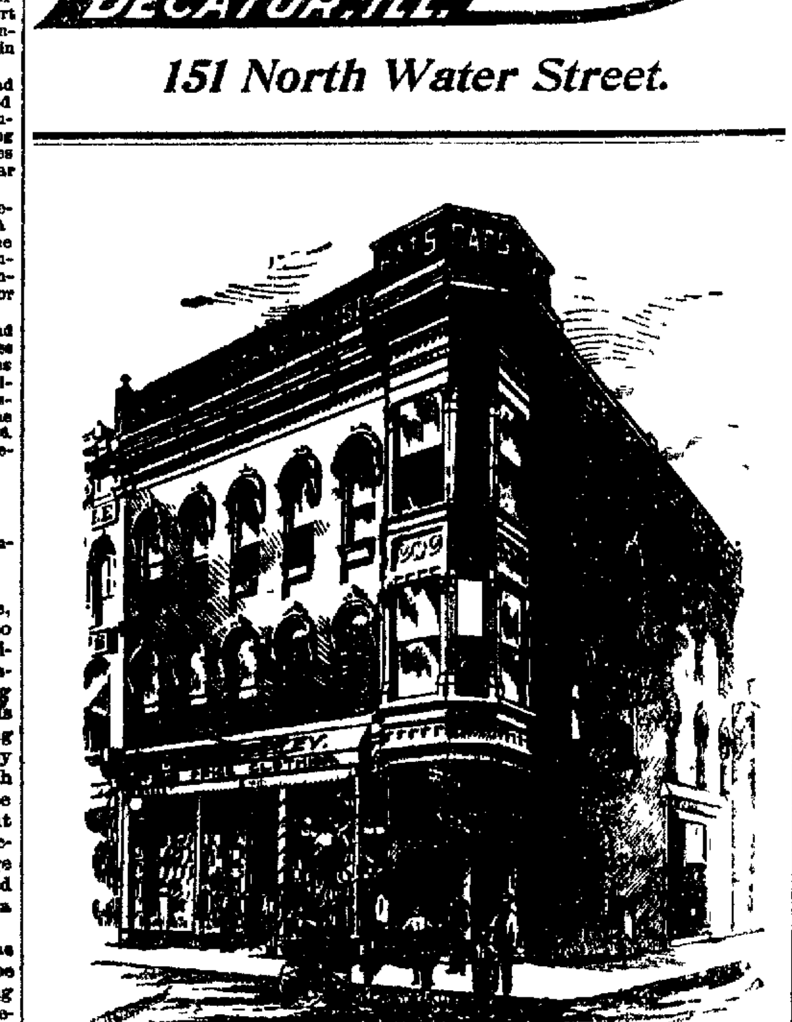


COOL CLOTHES FOR WARM WEATHER AND PINCHED PURSES.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

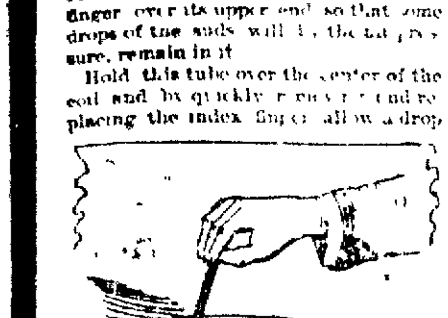
CURIOUS HOME MAGIC.

An Enchanted Spiral Produced by Dropping Soapsuds on a Wire

Make a small spiral of very fine iron wire and coat it slightly with oil Place this coil carefully in a basin of water and it will float on the surface.

Take a straw or glass tube and immerse the lower end for a few [illegible] in a glass containing soapsuds [illegible] removing the tube place the [illegible] finger over its upper end so that some drops of the suds will [illegible] remain in it

Hold this tube over the center of the coil and by quickly removing and replacing the index finger allow a drop



DROPPING SOAPSUDS ON THE COILED WIRE.

of suds to fall upon the water The spiral will immediately make several revolutions in a most mysterious manner

The audience should have its attention attracted to the fact that the tube does not come anywhere near the spiral and that there is no force exercised to move it.

Another drop of the suds in the same manner will produce a repetition of the peculiar action on the part of the wire

The action of the spiral wire is due to the fact that the [illegible] of a drop of soap [illegible] somewhat modifies the surface [illegible] known as superficial tension The science of this change however is rather too deep to permit of explanation here

The exhibit of this [illegible] may be made in two ways Either the claim of magic may be made for the [illegible] which with suitable strange incantations and appropriate gesturings may be made before the eyes of the audience and anointed with the mystic fluid the oil or the simplicity of the spiral and oil may be explained and the suds, to which some slight coloring has been added may be ready prepared in a bottle and be introduced as the great magnetic fluid There are few whose knowledge of natural philosophy will enable them to explain this interesting experiment in "popular science"—Louisville Courier-Journal

LOADSTONE MAGNET.

Its Exceeding Age Testifies to Its Excellent Workmanship

The picture of the old time loadstone magnet shown below is from the Electrical Engineer It is composed of a piece of loadstone with soft iron pieces fitted to it One of these bands which holds the parts together is silver. On

OLD-TIME MAGNET

this band is engraved [illegible] and on the [illegible] indicated the [illegible] according [illegible] marked [illegible] not [illegible] and a half ounces and [illegible] than [illegible] weight

The magnet was brought to America about 177[illegible] by Dr [illegible] a French physician who was educated at the college of Montpelier He joined one of the American regiments as surgeon, and served for some time He was a member of the Cincinnati and is buried in St Paul's churchyard in New York It has been the plaything for [illegible] and his descendants' children for over one hundred years and its survival shows its [illegible] construction It is now in the possession of the family of the late Hon Robert Gilchrist

FOUR-FOOTED BIRDS.

Queer Creatures Recently Discovered in the Amazon Country

That there are still numerous chances for the indefatigable student and investigator to make new discoveries may be judged from the fact that the only known species of four-footed bird has been discovered [illegible]

This curious anomaly, which has been very properly [illegible] "[illegible] paradoxalis," is a native of the Amazon river country, its [illegible] habitat being the islands [illegible] It is only during the [illegible] period [illegible] which time the [illegible] extra legs and feet [illegible] and early bird [illegible] footed feature is [illegible] Like the bats [illegible] "sheds" or [illegible] footed bird [illegible] legs in the [illegible] chicks [illegible] weeks of age [illegible] free from any [illegible] born. The [illegible] have that this [illegible] survival of [illegible] Its scientific name is [illegible] Opisthocomus cristatus The native call it the "hoactzin," which means the "evil smelling bird." It is also claimed that there is not a carnivorous animal [illegible] that will taste its flesh.—St. Louis [illegible]

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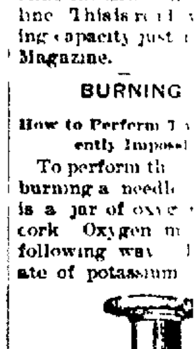

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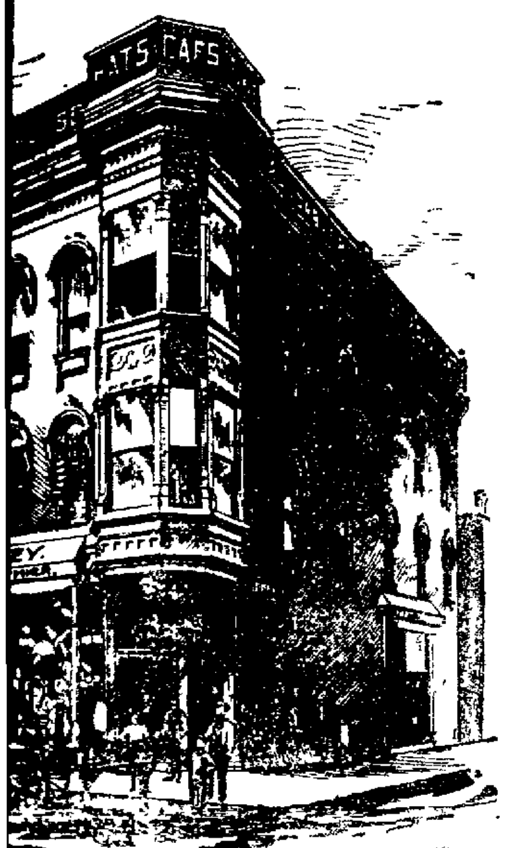

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CURIOUS HOME MAGIC.

An Enchanted Spiral Produced by Dropping Soapsuds on a Wire.

Make a small spiral of very fine iron wire and coat it slightly with oil. Place this coil carefully in a basin of water and it will float on the surface.

Take a straw or glass tube and immerse the lower end for a few inches in a glass containing soapsuds. Before removing the tube place the index finger over its upper end, so that some drops of the suds will, by the air pressure, remain in it.

Hold this tube over the center of the coil, and by quickly removing and replacing the index finger allow a drop

DROPPING SOAPSUDS ON THE COILED WIRE.

of suds to fall upon the water. The spiral will immediately make several revolutions in a most mysterious manner.

The audience should have its attention attracted to the fact that the tube does not come anywhere near the spiral, and that there is no force exercised to move it.

Another drop of the suds in the same manner will produce a repetition of the peculiar action on the part of the wire.

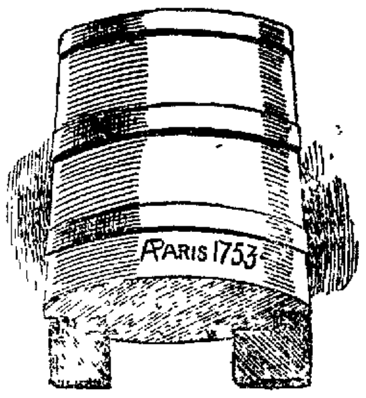
The action of the spiral wire is due to the fact that the addition of a drop of soapsuds somewhat modifies the surface water so as to alter a force known as "superficial tension." The science of this change, however, is rather too deep to permit of explanation here.

The exhibit of this trick may be made in two ways. Either the claim of magic may be made for the spiral, which, with suitable strange incantations and appropriate gesturings, may be made before the eyes of the audience and anointed with the mystic fluid the oil, or the simplicity of the spiral and oil may be explained and the suds, to which some slight coloring has been added, may be ready prepared in a bottle and be introduced as the great magnetic fluid. There are few whose knowledge of natural philosophy will enable them to explain this interesting experiment in "popular science."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

LOADSTONE MAGNET.

Its Exceeding Age Testifies to Its Excellent Workmanship.

The picture of the old-time loadstone magnet shown below is from the Electrical Engineer. It is composed of a piece of loadstone with soft iron pieces fitted to it. One of these bands which holds the parts together is silver. On



OLD-TIME MAGNET.

this band is engraved: "Meinert (one side not shown) AParis, 1753," and on the pole pieces the letters N and S indicated the polarity. This polarity is, according to the French custom, marked S on the north-seeking pole. The magnet weighs two pounds three and a half ounces and will sustain more than its weight.

The magnet was brought to America about 1775 by Dr. John Francis Vacher, a French physician who was educated at the college of Montpelier. He joined one of the American regiments as surgeon, and served for some time. He was a member of the Cincinnati, and is buried in St. Paul's churchyard, in New York. It has been the plaything for his and his descendants' children for over one hundred years, and its survival shows its good construction. It is now in the possession of the family of the late Hon. Robert Gilchrist.

FOUR-FOOTED BIRDS.

Queer Creatures Recently Discovered in the Amazon Country.

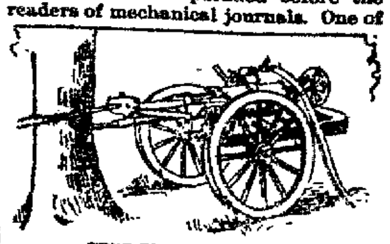
That there are still numerous chances for the indefatigable student and investigator to make new discoveries may be judged from the fact that the only known species of four-footed bird has been discovered only quite recently.

This curious anomaly, which could very properly be styled an "Avis paradoxalis," is a native of the Amazon river country, its principal habitat being the islands of Marajo. It is only during the period of incubation (at which time the little embryo's extra legs and feet are seen at their best) and early birdhood that the four footed feature is at all observable. Like the baby frog, which either "sheds" or absorbs its tail, the four-footed bird rids itself of its useless legs in the same manner, chicks six weeks of age usually being perfectly free from any signs of the extra members. The ornithologists profess to believe that this curious creature is a survival of some past geological epoch. Its scientific name is Opisthocomus cristatus. The natives call it the "hoactzin," which means the "smelling bird." It is also claimed that there is not a carnivorous animal known that will [illegible] ... Louis Republic.

STEAM TREE FELLING.

An English Machine Which Seems to Do Its Work Well.

Tree felling by means other than manual labor has been an engaging subject to many inventors, and for some time past a more or less interesting array of appliances designed to accomplish it has been paraded before the readers of mechanical journals. One of



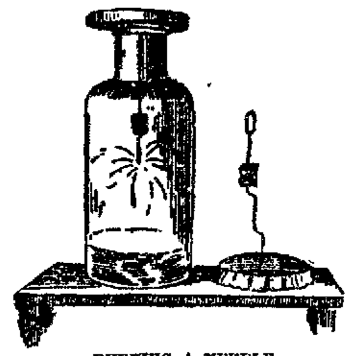
TREE-FELLING MACHINE.

the more recent of these machines, brought out in England by Allen Ransome, of Chelsea, reminds one very much, in appearance, of the now so familiar rock drill, the drill proper, of course, being supplanted by a reciprocating saw blade, substantially in the manner shown in the accompanying sketch. The piston to which the saw blade is attached works in a cylinder of small diameter but rather long stroke, pivotally supported on a pair of wheels, so that the whole arrangement is readily portable. Steam is intended to be supplied to the machine from a portable boiler through a long steam hose, so that the boiler can remain in one place until the machine has felled all the trees within a considerable circle around it, the space cleared, of course, depending upon the length of the hose. Cutting down a tree, however, is not the only function to which the machine is limited. By partially rotating it on its axis the saw can be set to cut in a vertical direction, or at any angle between the horizontal and vertical positions, so that, after having been felled, a tree may be quickly cut up into desired lengths. It generally happens that when a large tree falls it does not lie flat, as its branches hold the upper part of its trunk from the ground, and in order to squarely cross-cut trees lying in such a position it is necessary to incline the saw somewhat from a vertical line. This is readily done by the adjusting capacity just mentioned.—Cassell's Magazine.

BURNING A NEEDLE.

How to Perform This Curious and Apparently Impossible Experiment.

To perform the curious experiment of burning a needle, all that is required is a jar of oxygen and a few bits of cork. Oxygen may be prepared in the following way. Procure some chlorate of potassium, which is commonly



BURNING A NEEDLE.

sold in a white, crystallized form. On being heated, this substance yields all its oxygen, of which more than a third of its weight is composed. The decomposition of parts, at first slow, becomes in a short time so rapid that there is danger of an explosion, to obviate which it is well previously to mix with the chlorate an equal weight of bioxide of manganese, a black powder. These two substances should be placed in a glass connected by a rubber tube with a jar or bottle containing water, and heated until the oxygen is all obtained. Now take a long, coarse needle, impale a bit of a match on its point and insert its head in a small cork attached by a wire to a large cork stopper, which will cover the mouth of the jar. This apparatus is shown separately in the cut. Set fire to the match end, and introduce it while burning into the jar of oxygen. The bit of wood burns vividly, then the needle becomes incandescent, and with a crackling noise sends sparks in every direction until all the oxygen is consumed. The effect is somewhat like that produced by a roman candle. The bottom of the jar is protected by a good depth of water, otherwise it would be inevitably shattered by the drops of melted oxide of iron shed by the needle. When the process of combustion is ended a little round knob is found at the end of the needle which has not been burned. This is melted oxide of iron, caused by combustion. A thin knitting needle may be burned with equal success in the same manner.—Once a Week.

Old Shoes in a New Light.

A French savant has invented a new science which he terms scarpology, whereby he proposes to diagnosticate mental qualities from the appearance of the shoes worn by the subject. He claims that shoes that have been worn are full of faithful indications as to lack of energy, fickleness, bad temper, or the opposite qualities as the case may be. If the sole and heel of a shoe, after two months' wear, are equally worn, the owner is an energetic business man, an employe that can be relied on, a good wife or an excellent mother. If the outside edge is most worn, the owner is adventurous to rashness and of a bold and persistent turn of mind. Wear of the inside edge indicates irresolution and weakness in man and modesty in woman.

How the Weather Shifts.

It is a remarkable fact that in the temperate zone of both hemispheres the weather is constantly shifting from west to east. This is true to a degree in the lower polar regions—we know little about the higher—but it is not true of the tropics. In the tropical zone severe storms are likely to travel [illegible]

QUITTING BUSINESS. WINDING UP.

CLOSING OUT!

Anything at Cost. - Busher Pays the Freight.

ESTABLISHED 1855--RETIRING 1894.

The stock must be cut down yet to enable me to sell entire stock to parties wishing to invest,

CONSEQUENTLY

Summer Goods go at less than Cost.

COLORED GOODS will be sold regardless of value or cost to manufacture them.

$2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and 4.00 Lace Tan Shoes at

$1.25 AND $1.50.

Sizes somewhat broken but we still have a large variety to select from. Don't miss the chance to buy colored goods at half price and less. Come early.

W. F. BUSHER.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever Sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and One box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by King & Hubbard's Drug Store.

The order of Postmaster General Bissell against the appointment of saloonkeepers as postmasters is a prohibition that the Prohibitionists will like, but coming from a man who has been at the bar so frequently as has Mr. Cleveland's old law partner, it looks unsympathetic.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Conajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested? Trial bottles free at King & Hubbard's drug store. Regular size 50c and $1.00. cm

Whitelaw Reid, about whose health there have been disquieting rumors lately, has left San Francisco for his home in New York, greatly benefitted by his stay in the Golden State. He is said to be feeling better and stronger than for several years.

Removal.

We take pleasure in announcing that after this date Parks' Sure Cure will remove all traces of Rheumatism, Kidney trouble or Liver complaint from the user. It is to-day the only medicine that is guaranteed to cure these diseases or no pay. Parks' Sure Cure is sold by W. F. Neisler.

Arthur Percy Fitt, a Dublin University man who became interested in Evangelist Moody's work in Ireland and came over here a year or so ago as his private secretary, is to marry Mr. Moody's daughter on the 18th inst.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the bloodfrom impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends it self. C. H. Dawson.

Sebato Sato, a Japanese resident of Boston, has applied for naturalization papers in that city, the first in his race to do so there.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This Liniment is different in composition from any other liniment on the market. It is a scientific discovery which results in its being the most penetrating Liniment ever known. There are numerous white imitations, which may be recommended because they *pay the seller* a greater profit. Beware of these and demand *Ballard's Snow Liniment.* It positively cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Wounds, Cuts, Sciatic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, Sore Feet, Contracted Muscles, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Pain in Back, Barb Wire Cuts, Sore Chest or Throat, and is especially beneficial in Paralysis. Sold by C. H. Dawson, Druggist.

Colonel Galvin, who is en route with a California contingent, boasts that he can quell the most boisterous Commonwealer with a single look. He can Galvin-eyes them, as it were.

What a Prominent Insurance Man Says.

H. M. Blossom, senior member of H. M. Blossom & Co., 217 N. 3d St., St. Louis, writes: I had been left with a very distressing cough, the result of influenza, which nothing seemed to relieve, until I took *Ballard's Horehound Syrup.* One bottle completely cured me. I sent one bottle to my sister, who had a severe cough, and she experienced immediate relief. I always recommend this syrup to my friends.

John Cranston, 906 Hampshire street, Quincy, Ills., writes: I have found *Ballard's Horehound Syrup* superior to any other cough medicine I have ever known. It never disappoints. Price 50c. Sold by C. H. Dawson, Druggist.

Senators Proctor and Dubois are in retirement to think out the intricacies of the tariff. They are in Vermont, and incidentally do their thinking along trout streams, rod in hand.

Is Your Tongue

coated, your throat dry, your eyes dull and inflamed, and do you feel mean generally when you get up in the morning? Your liver and kidneys are not doing their work. Why don't you take Parks Sure Cure? If it does not make you feel better it costs you nothing. It cures Bright's Disease, Diabetis and all Kidney complaints. Only guaranteed cure. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

Gov. Matthews will be a candidate for the United States Senate to succeed Senator Voorhees.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By King & Hubbard.

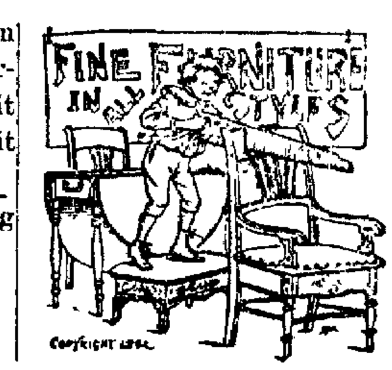
Creates health, creates strength, creates vigor, DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

A Big Cut!

A cut in Furniture isn't an altogether pleasant occurrence for the housewife, as it means mischief, but with us it means a reduction of price.

The prices we are making on the largest line of

Furniture, Carpets and Stoves



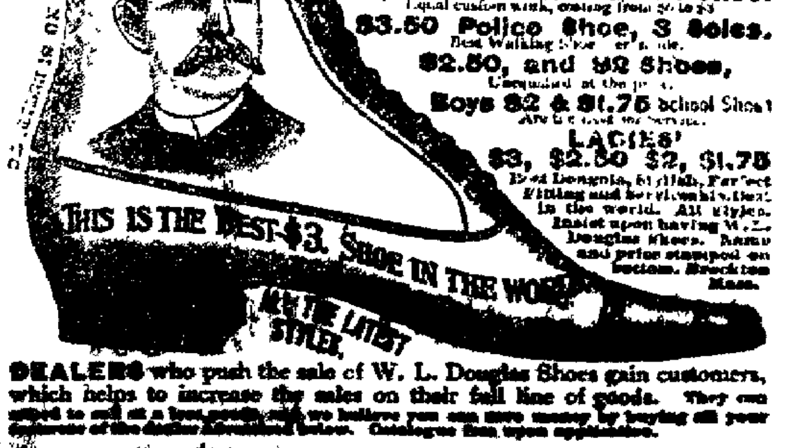
in the city are remarkably low. An inspection will prove it to you.

Cash or Easy Payments.

G. W. Scovill,

211, 213 and 215 South Side City Park,

Complete House Furnisher on E Z Payments.



DEALERS who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. [illegible]

For sale by H. W. Waggoner & Co.

See Our Turquoise Initial RINGS

At 35 Cents Each.

It is one of the late Fads.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

Did Youseeum?

Did you see those wonderful Ladies' Vici and Dongola Kid Oxfords that have been on sale for the past week by the Frank H. Cole Shoe Co. **at $1.69?**

Did you see 'em in the window? Did you see 'em in the store? Did you see 'em on the street, in the cars, at the park, at the theater, or at church? Did you realize that they were just exactly as good Oxfords in every particular as our neighbors are selling at $2.25 to $2.50 per pair.

Do you begin to catch on to the fact that we are ***price makers*** if not peace makers? Do you begin to grasp the idea that we're going to have more just such special bargains right along?

However, we expected to say when we started out, that if you were wise you would fail not to visit us at once and take advantage of this great offer.

FRANK H. COLE SHOE CO.

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

Daily Republican

No improvement that you can make (for the money) will add so much to the appearance of your home as painting it.

King & Hubbard, the druggists, have the best mixed paints in all colors; also everything in the paint and varnish line.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1894.

LOCAL NEWS.

CREAMO the latest.

CREAMO cool and sparkling.

AT Dawson's fountain only.

TRY Irwin's cherry phosphate.

FINE Chamoi skins at Irwin's.

FRESH FISH. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co. 21-d2

AT 10:45 a. m. to-day it was 105 in the sun.

IRWIN's poultry powder gives universal satisfaction.

DRESSED POULTRY. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co. 21-d2

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25 dtf

BIG celebrations on July 4th are to be held at Blue Mound, Macon and Moweaqua.

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds done to order. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN Co. mar20-dtf

CALDWELL's Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache--10 doses for 10 cents.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

GO TO the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

THE recent bloodless revolution in Paraguay will be known to history as the most civil war on record.

JUDGE NELSON, who has been out of the city since Tuesday night, was in the county court to-day attending to judicial duties.

DON'T mistake. Stop at the C. B. Prescott music house on North Water street where you will find the famous Haines Upright, the Everett and the Sterling pianos. None better to be had anywhere in the world.

THE Democrats of Macon county will hold their county convention at the court house Saturday, when state, congressional and senatorial delegates will be selected. A county ticket will be named later by another convention.

PROF. J. H. COONRADT, assisted by his son, Low Coonradt, who is a student at Ann Arbor, will begin taking the school census of Decatur in a few weeks. Then we will know again by enumeration just how many people belong to Decatur. What do you think the figures will be? Say 21,000?

RUDE the tailor's prices for cleaning and pressing; Suits cleaned and pressed $1.50 pants cleaned and pressed 50c, suits scoured and pressed $2.50, pants scoured and pressed 75c; repairing of all kinds, Work called for and delivered. Telephone 262. Room 6, Syndicate block. May14 dtf

WHILE out boating on the Sangamon river yesterday with a lady friend, Chas. Barnard and his companion were considerably startled to see a big black bass, weighing nearly three pounds, jump out of the water and land in the bottom of the boat. It was a case of voluntary suicide for the fish which was brought to the city by Mr. Barnard and exhibited at various points as ample proof of the remarkable episode.

THE state turnfest will begin at Springfield to-morrow and continue until June 26th. Decatur will have three classes in the contests and will send down a big party of sight-seers on Sunday in a special train. The cities of Peoria, Pekin, Bloomington, Peru, Ottawa, Streator, Moline, Jacksonville, Chicago, St. Louis, Quincy, Evansville and Springfield will be represented at the fest.

THE new ballot law in Kansas provides that, "The lower limbs of the voters as high as the knees shall be visible from the outside while the voter is preparing his ticket." The lower part of the booths have been left open for that purpose. Until that part of the law has been repealed there can be no female suffrage in Kansas. Some mean old thing who was an enemy to women's rights certainly devised the law. *--Exchange.*

IT is quite probable that within a week or ten days Decatur will have a base ball park enclosed. A subscription has been started by George W. Jones for that purpose, and about $225 has already been raised. The site that has been selected for the ball park is at the corner of Traver and Cantrell streets. It will cost about $500 to get the grounds in shape. If everything goes right the first game will be played in the park July 4. It may be an exhibition game between the George W. Jones nine and a Peoria team. Parties may reach the park by taking the Riverside cars and getting off at the turn of Cantrell street going into Riverside Place. Ground will be leased for the park.

THE ENDEAVOR MEETING.

Night Session of the County Convention at the Baptist Church.

Despite the heat there was a large congregation of young people at the closing session of the Macon County Christian Endeavor convention held at the Baptist church last night. There was a short song service led by Milton Johnson, Jr., when Prest. H. H. Spooner of the State Society, delivered an address on "Practical Suggestions for Christian Endeavorers." He read a scripture lesson from John, which bore on activity in Christian work. He said in part: "There are some things for Endeavorers to do. One of the first is the one that perhaps we are the most careless about. You who are in business know that you must keep a pleasant face. Going home, if you meet your neighbor, you don't snub him. When you go home, don't you unbend and show a face different from the one you have had all day? Try to keep that face at home and see if it does not pay. The same may be said of the school and church. Go to the pastor and the superintendent and ask them if there is not something that you can do. Do you always go to the evening service of your church? Many pastors have said if they could get the people to come to the evening service a great burden would be off their minds. The young people of the Endeavor society should see to this. Go to the Wednesday night meetings, too, even if you have to stay away from your Endeavor meeting. If you have books, magazines or denominational papers that you have not read, send them to those who are hungry for them. It is said that stores and offices are open on Sunday in Decatur. You can do something to stop this, and you are to blame if it goes on. Right now is the time to do things here suggested. Women think they cannot do some of these things. They can. Men must not be left alone. Keep at them and you can influence even our politics."

Rev. M. F. Troxell, of Springfield spoke on enthusiasm and persistent effort from the subject, "Kindling Sticks," likening the young christians to kindling wood to make a fire and keep up the interest in all branches of church work.

President Spooner conducted the consecration service which was the last feature of the first county convention the society has held.

Elmer K. Towl was made chairman of the Look-out committee.

SUNDAY FEATURES AT CAMP

The March Around Jericho and the Killing of the Fatted Calf.

The interest in the colored camp-meeting at Oakland Park is increasing every day and night, and at each service the enthusiasm is at a high pitch. Last night Rev. James Thomas delivered a revival sermon, and the singing was spirited as usual. It was one of the best meetings of the series. One man arose and asked the earnest prayers of the people.

To-night Dumer Sornah (Ben Payne), the African boy, will deliver his lecture. He will appear in native costume, and will tell in his own peculiar way all he knows about the habits and customs of his people in the dark continent. He has been in the United States four years. Hear him to night.

Saturday night there will be special song services, and there will be a representation of the march around Jericho.

Sunday morning Rev. A. H. Barton of Bloomington will preach. At 3 p. m. Rev. James Thomas will preach on "The Return of the Prodigal Son," at which service a calf will be killed for the people to eat.

The Italian Band now in the city will be at the meeting afternoon and night to play for the services.

THE LAW ABOUT GUNS.

Sheriff Perl Gets an Answer About Weapons From the State.

Tuesday last Sheriff Perl, who then anticipated trouble with the striking miners in Decatur, wrote Governor Altgeld in reference to getting guns from the state for the use of deputy sheriffs. Here is the answer:

PETER PERL, Sheriff Macon county: Replying to your favor of the 19th addressed to Governor Altgeld, I am directed to say that arms used by the state are loaned to the sheriffs of various counties *only* in cases of emergency and are never permitted to remain out longer than the emergency exists. Under the law arms must be bought by the county in all cases where they are intended for permanent use. Yours truly

W. F. DOSE, Private Secretary.

Elected President.

At the meeting of the alumni of the state Normal University, the following officers were elected:

President--Enoch A. Gastman, Decatur.

Vice-president--Charles Capen, Bloomington.

Recording Secretary--Mr. Montgomery.

Treasurer --Mr. Gabbot, of DeKalb.

No Smells

Should exist in an air-tight closet where food is kept, especially this hot weather. Therefore, room which you eat should ... in a Leonard ... Lewis & ...

WEDDING BELLS.

Brilliant Marriage of W. H. Spence and Miss Rose Proctor.

The joyous wedding bells rang merrily again last evening, this time for another happy marriage at Grace M. E. church, when Mr. W. H. Spence and Miss Rose Proctor stood at the hymeneal altar and were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Dr. H. H. Oneal in the presence of a large company of friends of the happy couple. The church decorations in honor of the interesting event were quite elaborate. Prof. Towl played the Lohengrin wedding march at 8 o'clock. when the bridal party entered the church. The ushers were George Fulton, James Taylor, James Spence and Arthur Spence, and after them came Edna Johnson, the flower girl, who preceded the bride and groom to the altar. After the impressive ceremony was observed which made the twain one, the stately Mendelssohn march was played while Mr. and Mrs. Spence and friends passed out of the church to the carriages in waiting.

The wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, at 357 West Cerro Gordo street, where a large number of friends gathered to offer personal congratulations and partook of the marriage feast which was provided in great abundance and variety. The lawn was brightly illuminated by means of Japanese lanterns tastefully arranged.

The bride wore a rich gown of cream colored brocaded silk, diamond ornaments and bride's roses. Little Edna was in white swiss with lace trimming.

Among the many elegant gifts to the bride was a beautiful and costly silver tea service which was from the Adonis club, of which the groom was a member.

This evening Mrs. Sarah Spence, mother of the groom, will give the couple a reception at her home, 1202 North Main street, where Mr. Spence and bride will reside for the present. Mr. Spence is the well kown contracting painter and paper hanger. The REPUBLICAN extends its warmest congratulations to him and to the accomplished bride, and may both live long and prosper.

LANG STILL MISSING.

A Singular Case--The Body Believed to be in the River.

George F. Lang (not Langer, as at first printed) who disappeared suddenly Tuesday last after leaving the Mrs. Morris boarding house on East Wood street, is still missing. He was a sick painter, who had been in Decatur but a few weeks. He had received $11.50 in wages on Monday, but he had paid his board and other small debts, and he did not have to exceed $2.25 when he left the boarding house for Riverside Park. He was advised to go to Oakland Park where he was told there was plenty of shade and a camp-meeting in progress, but he said he wanted to go to the river. Since Tuesday forenoon no one has seen or heard anything of Lang. Now it is believed that Lang committed suicide by drowning and that his body lies at the bottom of the Sangamon river somewhere near Riverside Park. Lang left his clothes and a knife in his room at the Mrs Morris place. He had talked gloomily and had said he had so much trouble with his wife that it was impossible to bear up any longer. He had tried to kill himself in Chicago by asphyxiation. Then he talked of opening an artery in his arm and bleeding to death. Another threat was that if he sought death by drowning he would tie a weight to his head so that the body would not arise to the surface.

The police have made inquiries to locate Lang, but inquiries without a diligent search will avail nothing. It is the belief of Mrs. Morris that Lang is a corpse in the river.

It is learned that Lang's wife resides in New York City. There are three children.

The Penwell Divorce Case.

The celebrated Penwell divorce case from Pana has been settled at last. Attorney E. A. Humphrey, of Pana, was in the city yesterday and met Attorneys Buckingham and Schroll for the purpose of settling proceedings of Mrs. Ina Penwell vs. Orville Penwell, of Pana. The plaintiff resides in Decatur and had sued for a divorce, custody of her child and alimony. Mr. Penwell is the son of the big coal dealer at Pana. The case was compromised. The defendant agreed to the divorce, allowed Mrs. Penwell the custody of her child, and further agreed to pay $1,000 alimony at the rate of $10 per month. He agreed further to pay the solicitor's fee and the costs, and also to pay the costs of another suit which had previously been brought in Christian county for separate maintenance.

Decorative China Painting.

Miss Celia Katz, of Chicago, who will soon organize a class in decorative china painting in Decatur, desires that the address of all who wish to become members of the class shall be left at the jewelry store of Curtis Bros., where samples of the young lady's work have been displayed for several days. Miss Katz will arrive in the city on Monday, and can be personally seen at 360 West Decatur street, by those desiring to receive fundamental or advanced ...

PEERLESS VS. ADVANCE.

L. W. Cook, "Manager" of the Advance Thresher Co.

On the 20th day of May you came into our store and asked us if we wanted a contest between the Peerless and Advance threshers. We replied we did. You then said there had been too much talk here and over the country, and that we would have to put up or shut up. We said, "It is *put up*, then." You had some bills in your hand, which you shook at us, and said you had $500 to put up that you could beat us. We proposed that we deposit checks. Your reply was "Checks don't go," money talks. As you know, we sent for the money, while you finding we meant *business*, slipped out to get the money to make your bluff hold, not believing evidently that we could or would put up. You asked who should hold the stakes. We suggested your bankers, Millikin & Co. You demurred; and as Mr. Burley at that moment stepped into the store, you suggested him, and as you will remember, the money was promptly put in his hands, and we stated that the money was on a contest between the Advance and Peerless threshers in wheat and oats. You put in, "I said oats." We insisted on wheat as well as oats. You finally agreed, but when Mr. Bushert sat down to draw up the writings *you went back on wheat* and would only go in on oats, refusing to thresh wheat. Mr. Burley *heard* and *saw* your back down, and after you left remarked that you would not go into a contest and without our asking gave us a check for our money, saying he would let you sweat for a few days. You evidently began to perspire so profusely by the evening of the second day that you rode six miles to Burley's residence to get your money.

If you had wanted a contest why did you refuse to go into writings? We have backed down on *nothing*, and you have given no reasons for refusing to go in on wheat as well as oats.

In the *Weekly Republican* of May 31st we addressed an open letter to you and made a full expose of your "Bluff" which has not as yet been controverted by you in any *particular*.

In the DAILY REPUBLICAN of June 5th, Spencer & Lehman Co. come out in a challenge for a 5 minutes contest, and you as an endorsement or security for them say you have deposited $500 in the hands of Parke Hammer on said 5 minutes contest failing to state that $250 of it was your talking money and the *balance put in by L. C. Ellis*.

We in the issue of the DAILY REPUBLICAN of June 7, declined as the *challenged party* to go into such an incomplete test, on the advice of *Practical Threshers*.

Now Mr. Cook, *Manager*, as you made us the *Bluff*, and as the challenged party, you must concede that we have some right as to time, place and mode of contest. We have therefore, deposited with H. A. Wood at Peddecord, Burrows & Co's bank, *articles* of agreement for a fair, square test between the Geiser Peerless Steam outfit, represented by George S. Durfee & Bro., Agents, and the Advance Steam outfit, represented by L. W. Cook, manager, which with the necessary money that *talks* awaits your signature.

The agreement covers the points most needed to thoroughly test the merits of the two outfits, as suggested by practical threshers. Now is your chance, Mr. Cook. Take a breath of courage, walk up. It is either sink or swim. You did the bluffing, and *you* must be the one to *sign* the *agreement*. *We are more than ready.*

GEO. S. DURFEE & BRO.,
Agents Geiser M'f'g Co.

An Informal Dance

A most delightful but informal dance was given by a number of young gentlemen last evening at Columbia hall. Lapetoni's Italian orchestra furnished excellent music for a long program of dances. Those who attended were the Misses Elizabeth and Mary Voorhies, Nell Schroeder, Alice Bering, Belle Venngerholz, Edith Race, Eugenie Harris, Margaret and Anna Roberts, Sallie Scruggs, Ella Race, Anna Ramey, Corinne Shellabarger, and Messrs George Matthews, Troy Alexander, Robert Hays, Frank Evans, Linn and Will Blackstone, Dr. J. D. Moore, Dr. Carlton, Arthur Dumont, R. I. Hunt, Will Pinck, Henry Crowell, Thad Schroeder, Arthur Race and John Maus.

Excursion to Springfield

The Decatur Turn Verein will run an excursion to Springfield, *Sunday June 24*. Train leaves Union depot at 8 a. m., stopping at North Water street crossing. After leaving Decatur, no more stops will be made. Fare $1 00 for the round trip. Children under ten years 50 cents. Goodman's Band will furnish the music. Good time for everybody. All go.

19 dtd BY COMMITTEE.

Death at the Poor House

Thomas Brown, a feeble minded patient at the Macon county poor house died at 4 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, aged 55 years. The immediate cause of death was indigestion. The deceased has a sister residing at Oreana in Whitmore township. He had been a charge at the poor house since 1886.

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